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BRITAIN SMASHES ALL AIR SPEED RECORDS. Flt. Lieut. Stainforth Averages 386.1 Miles an Hour.

THOUSANDS WATCH TRIUMPH.

FULL DETAILS OF SCHNEIDER TROPHY RACE.

BOOTHMAN'S DARING.

LAPPING in one direction at the phenomenal speed of 404 miles an hour, nearly seven miles a minute, Flight Lieutenant Stainforth, of the British Schneider Trophy team, yesterday created a new world air speed record, flying one of the new silver-and-blue Vickers Supermarine Rolls-Royce S-6 B seaplanes.

The weather conditions were not nearly perfect for high speed flying, but a bright sun made a thrilling spectacle for the thousands of spectators as Britain's tiny and beautiful monoplanes flashed through the sky at speeds never previously attained by man.

Lieutenant Stainforth's speed, which is subject to confirmation by the Federation Aeronautique Internationale, was 386.1 miles an hour, or 621.3 kilometres an hour. He made six runs over the three-kilometre course and the speed for the purpose of the record was taken from the average of the best four consecutive runs. On his second run he achieved 404.6 miles an hour.

THIRTY-ONE MILES IN 5 MINUTES.

Earlier in the afternoon, Great Britain had won for the third time in succession, the Schneider Trophy, for which there has been race on eleven occasions since 1913 and which, by the rules, now remains with Britain.

The winning pilot was Flight Lieutenant Boothman, who used another S-6 B, a twin of the flying bullet in which Stainforth later exceeded the world record.

Record Smashed.

Lieutenant Boothman, without throttle, beat the previous record for the course by nearly twelve miles an hour. He crossed the starting line soon after 1.10 p.m. after successfully completing the difficult preliminary tests of taking-off, alighting and taxi-ing.

He covered the seven laps of the course—a total distance of 217.49 miles an hour in 38 minutes, 22 seconds!

This wonderful performance gave him an average speed of 340.08 miles an hour, as against

Lieut. Boothman's fastest lap was his first, which took five minutes, 26 seconds—a speed of 343.1 m.p.h. which compares with the best lap in the 1929 race (by Lieut. Atcherley) of 332.49 m.p.h.

Boothman's best time for 100 kilometres (just over 60 miles) was over the first two laps, for which his time was 10 minutes, 52.9 seconds. His second lap, it will be noted, was only 8/10ths of a second slower than his first!

Perfect Landing.

After the seventh lap, in a race in which his consistency of performance was remarkable, Lieut. Boothman took his machine high into the air and then circled round over the Solent before swooping down to make a perfect landing.

It was not long afterwards that Flight Lieutenant Stainforth took up the second S-6 to attack the record for the international 3-kilometre course, of 357.7 m.p.h. set up by Squadron Leader Orlebar, the captain of the High Speed Flight, in 1929. He exceeded the previous record by 29 m.p.h. though it was generally expected, after his second brilliant run of 404.6 m.p.h. that the margin of betterment would be greater.

British Supremacy.

In aeronautical circles, the triumphs by Flight Lieuts. Boothman and Stainforth are regarded as having been won in the months of technical and scientific struggle preceding the Race and as constituting a remarkable tribute to the supremacy of British engine and aircraft builders—British Wireless.

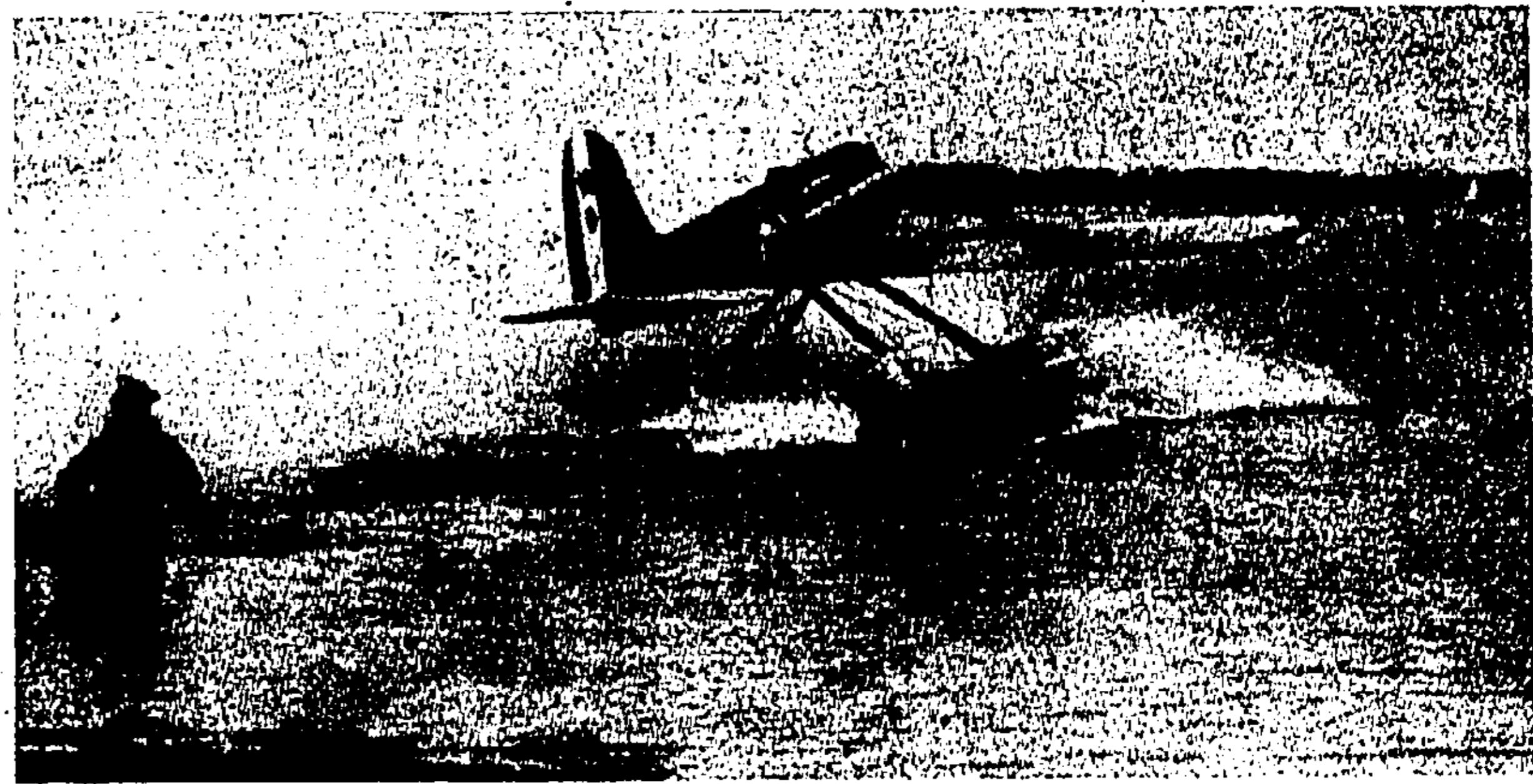
The new machines are developed from the winning plane of 1929, which was held in reserve for yesterday's event in case of a mishap. Externally, they differ little. The S-6 B is a trifle bigger than the S-6 A, chiefly because of the need for extra fuel space. The engine, however, is substantially more powerful, without being any bigger.

Flying Radiators.

The record-breakers may be considered from one point of view as flying radiators.

No problem is more difficult in the design of modern super-racing aircraft than the provision of adequate cooling surfaces.

It is interesting to note that the first race, in 1913, was won by France at a speed of 45.76 miles an hour.



One of the Vickers Supermarine Rolls-Royce S-6 B, the fastest machines in the world, taxiing off from the Calshot hangar in a cloud of spray.

SOLDIERS' CAR ESCAPADE.

Police Posse Rushed.

EXCITEMENT ON MAINLAND.

Found sleeping peacefully in a "stolen" car at Castle Peak, two privates of the South Wales Borderers were arrested in the early hours of yesterday morning after a joy-riding escapade which caused considerable excitement among the mainland police.

Their adventures began at 8.10 p.m. on Saturday when they hired a public car at the Star Ferry and instructed the driver to take them round the New Territories.

At Shatin they asked the driver to stop, which he did, and then, after a little preliminary manoeuvring, assaulted and threatened him. He bolted, leaving them in possession of the car.

The "Fun" Begins.

The time was then about ten o'clock, but the driver managed to induce the European driver of a private car to stop and take him to the nearest police station, after which the "fun" really began.

Mrs. Noronha, who took her husband to the hospital, stated that he was on the verandah at 2.15 this morning when he accidentally fell into the street, a height of 18 feet. His condition is regarded as being fair.

Lord Inchape Converted.

Thinks a Tariff Desirable.

London, Sept. 14.

Lord Inchape, who has been a life-long Free Trader, has joined the ranks of the Protectionists.

In the course of an article in the *Daily Mail*, he declares that "In present conditions I admit the expediency of a tariff to protect industry and agriculture."—Reuter.

In the Dock.

They were charged at Kowloon this morning before Mr. Fraser with assaulting the driver, driving the car without permission of the owner, failing to pay for car hire, and driving without licences.

They gave their names as Private Albert Price and Private Robert Booth, and Sergeant Clark, who prosecuted, declared that three other charges, including that of refusing to stop when called upon by the police, could have been preferred. They did not know whether they were under the influence of liquor. They seemed sober at 1.45 a.m.

Tired of Army.

Mr. Fraser (co-accused). What have you got to say?

Price. Nothing, Sir.

Why did you do it?—I wanted to get away.

From the Army?—Yes.

Sergeant Clark said Price drove

LATEST ATLANTIC FLIGHT.

YEAR'S FIRST FROM WEST TO EAST.

Lisbon, Sept. 13.

The year's first attempt to fly the Atlantic from West to East was witnessed by a large crowd to-day when three airmen, Willy Rody and Christian Johnsen, both Germans, and Costa Vie, a Portuguese started for New York from Jungo, near Villa Franca.

The fliers are using a Junkers aeroplane specially constructed for the adventurous trip which has only once been accomplished without a hitch.—*Reuter*.

CRUISER RUSHES TO BELIZE.

FOOD URGENTLY NEEDED.

STRICKEN CITY.

London, Sept. 13.

H. M. S. Danae is racing at full speed for Belize, British Honduras, with food and medical supplies, which are urgently needed in the hurricane-stricken city.

The U.S.S. Rochester carrying similar relief stores is also reported to be speeding to assist the British authorities, while the Colonial Office, through the Shipping Conference, has requested any British ships in the vicinity to render all assistance in their power.

The latest information from the Governor indicates that the situation is fairly well in hand and that the survivors are in good health. The death roll from the hurricane and tidal wave is now known to exceed three hundred, and hundreds of others have been injured.

The King and the Colonial Secretary (Mr. J. H. Thomas) have sent messages of sympathy.—*Oriental Wireless*.

ROBBERS GET A FRIGHT.

DECAMP WITHOUT ANY BOOTY.

After gaining admission to the third floor of 12, Catchick Street yesterday afternoon, three men armed with the blades of scissars decamped, on the alarm being raised, without any loot.

In reporting the incident to the police, Ko Ho, a married woman, said that at 2 p.m. whilst she was in the sitting room three men entered the premises, the door to which was opened by a child six years of age. Two of the intruders, armed with scissars blades, went into the front part of the premises, while the third went to the rear cubicle.

The woman raised the alarm by shouting "Save life!" and the man decamped without taking anything.

PACIFIC FLIGHT DISASTER FEARED.

LONG FRUITLESS SEARCHES.

HOPES FADING.

After days of search among the remote islands along the route which would have been taken by Don Moyle and Cecil Allen, who set out from Japan last week in an attempt to span the Pacific nonstop, hope for their safety has almost been given up.

Only once after their departure were the daring fliers actually sighted, an hour out of Sabishiro Beach, though four passengers aboard the s.s. Arthur Baldwin, which was near Dutch Harbour, stated that they heard the hum of an aeroplane at about ten p.m. on September 9.

Fishing boats off Hokkaido and the Kurile Islands have co-operated with American coastguard cutters in the search for traces of the fliers afloat and ashore without result. Hundreds of miles have been covered, dozens of islands scoured, and it is feared that they were forced to alight on the sea, which must have overwhelmed them in an hour or so.

The last hope is that they are somewhere in the Aleutians, making their way to some spot where communication can be established. It is possible that this might take days, even if both were fit and well.

Four cutters are investigating all islands from Dutch Harbour to the tip of the chain which ends with Attu. The search has been ordered because of the remoteness of these islands, where otherwise the airmen could be marooned for weeks.

Their machine carried no wireless equipment.

PEACE PRIZE POSSIBLES.

HOOVER, GANDHI AND RAMSAY MAC.

Oslo, Sept. 10.

President Herbert Hoover, Mr. Ramsay MacDonald and Mahatma Gandhi, were prominently mentioned to-day as possible Nobel peace prize winners.

This year's prize, will soon be awarded, and will amount to 173,205 kroner or approximately \$40,500.

The same amount will also go to the winners of the Nobel prizes in literature, medicine, chemistry and physics.

The fund from which the prizes are awarded now totals \$1,678,438 kroner, or approximately \$8,442,950, and was founded by the late Alfred Nobel, multi-millionaire Swedish inventor who reaped a fortune from the manufacture of high explosives.

Announcement of the names of the winners probably will be made towards the end of October or

The Kaiapoi Mishap.

Badly Damaged on Borneo Reef.

SALVAGE PLANS.

Rumours in shipping circles this morning that the Henry Keswick was to be despatched to North Borneo to salvage the s.s. Kaiapoi, which ran aground near Sitianki on September 3, were stated by Messrs. Williamson and Co. to be unfounded.

According to wireless reports from Zamboanga, the Kaiapoi struck a reef south of Sitianki and is "unable to set off without assistance."

Another vessel belonging to the same concern, the Kamona, is standing by the Kaiapoi, ready to take off her master (Captain J. Baldwin) and crew should danger develop, while we understand that the third Williamson steamer is to leave here for Borneo with salvage gear.

The Kaiapoi seems to have been badly damaged. She is a vessel of about 2,000 tons gross, her dimensions being: length 279.2 feet, breadth, 40.1 feet, deep, 11.1 feet.

Sitianki is a small town in Sibutu Islands, which are situated between Tawi-Tawi Islands and Borneo.

FASCIST RISING IN AUSTRIA.

LIKELY TO BE SHORT LIVED.

Vienna, Sept. 13.

The Fascist uprising is likely to be short-lived duration.

The Ministerial Council today resolved "to use all means within the power of the State to restore peace and order at the earliest possible moment and to take strict proceedings against the authors of the movement."

The revolt in Kirchdorf has been completely suppressed, and order is reported to have been restored in Bruck.

All other provinces are for the present quite peaceful.—*Reuter*.

STOP PRESS.

HIGHER SPEEDS DEMANDED.

London, Sept. 14.

The 404 m.p.h. accomplished by Flight Lieut. Stainforth in one of his laps yesterday has not satisfied the speed merchants, who are "hotting up" another engine for a further attack on the record some time during the middle of this week.

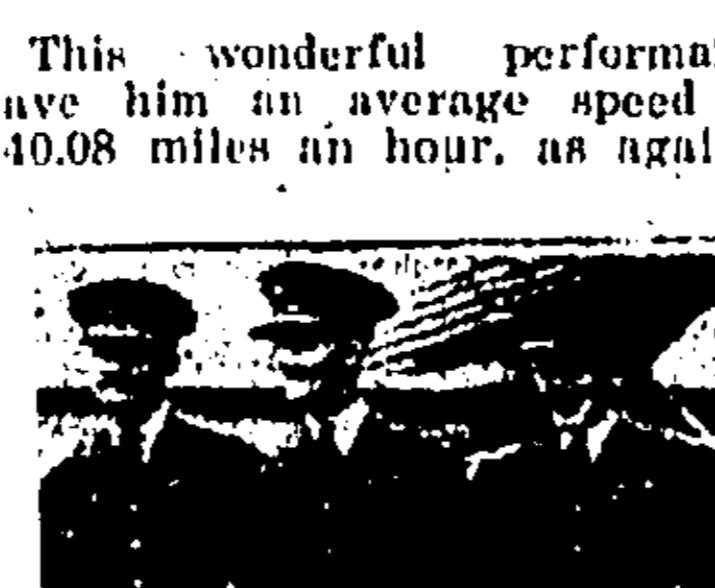
Stainforth's record was established in straight flying, and the travelling distance for purposes of record was only 18 kilometres, a trifle over 10 miles.

By normal tests of comparison, Boothman's feat is a finer tribute to the new racing machine than Stainforth's. He kept up an average of 340 m.p.h. over a distance of 217 miles, with two terrific turns to negotiate seven times each.

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FRENCH AVIATORS CRASH.

LE BRIX AND MESMIN KILLED IN SMASH.

Moscow, Sept. 12.

The French aeroplane "Hyphen Mark" piloted by Le Brix and Dorot, accompanied by Mesmin, crashed near the mouth of the Taniper River, a tributary of the Belaya. Two of the three occupants were killed.

The plane crashed near Ufa at 4 p.m. local time and is reported to have been destroyed.

While it is not known yet which of the two of the occupants of the plane were killed, it has been learned that the third owned his life to his parachute. He is now being given shelter and receiving medical attention.—Reuter.

The Dead Identified.

Paris, Sept. 12.

It is now learned from Moscow that it was Dorot who was saved by the timely use of his parachute and that Le Brix and Mesmin were killed.—Reuter.

The Question Mark.

Cologne, Sept. 12.

It is reported from Nieuwkerk that Codos and Robida have decided to give up the flight to Tokyo. Apparently the tank defect is more serious than at first supposed. It has not yet been repaired. The airmen are leaving for Paris this evening or tomorrow.—Reuter.

[The Question Mark took off from Le Bourget seven minutes after the Hyphen Mark had gone off. Both planes were contestants in what was believed would develop into a most exciting race to reach Tokyo. At Dusseldorf, however, the Question Mark was forced down owing to engine trouble, a serious defect developing in her tank.]

Pacific Flight.

New York, Sept. 10.

The American Trans-Pacific fliers Don Moyle and Cecil Allen, who started from Japan for Seattle on Monday, and were expected to reach Seattle in between 39 and 44 hours, have now been flying 66 hours without news being received of them.

If they kept to the scheduled course they should now be off British Columbia where the weather is reported to be clear of fog.

The airmen are carrying no radio equipment hence it is not possible for them to report their progress. Weather conditions in the West Pacific are not reassuring as fogs prevail there.

The Lindberghs.

Osaka, Sept. 12.

The Lindberghs arrived here at 3.28 p.m. from Kasumigaura.—Reuter.

A KEROSENE WAR.

RUSSIAN TANKERS READY TO DUMP CARGOES.

(Our Own Correspondent.)

Shanghai, Sept. 12.
Two tankers loaded with 2,500,000 gallon of kerosene are in Vladivostok awaiting orders from the Russian Trust which desires to dispose of 1,500,000 gallons in China a month.

The Trust has offered the oil to distributors at a figure that will enable them to undersell their competitors by ten cents a gallon, however low the prices may be.

The Kwang Wha Petroleum Company, which has its own installation, tanks and packing equipment, is stated to be handling the product. The agreement is being concluded in Shanghai.

PASSENGERS TELL OF SHIPWRECK.

HOW OFFICERS HANDLED THE SITUATION.

(Our Own Correspondent.)

Shanghai, Sept. 12.

The passengers from the German liner Burgenland returned from Kobo on the s.s. Sphinx yesterday.

It seems that one passenger was

on deck, and three in the cardroom when the ship went aground. The rest were taking the steamer.

When the ship struck she vibrated from stem to stern and after the first shock bounced and then shuddered again as though hit by a heavy sea. She twice hit the reef and the second time came to a standstill.

Everyone rushed on deck to find that the officers had the situation in hand, and the boats with passengers were lowered before their plight had dawned on them. The cooks, sailors and stewards were detailed to boats which maintained contact with the Burgenland by ropes, and beside the ropes sat members of the crew armed with knives to cut them adrift in the event of the vessel sinking.

MR. MACDONALD'S DIVISION.

LABOUR'S VIEW NOT UNANIMOUS.

London, Sept. 12.

The meeting of the Seamen's Harbour Labour Party which met today to consider the executive's resolution calling on the Prime Minister, Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, to resign his seat in Parliament, lasted three hours.

The Secretary informed the Press at the end of the meeting that the Executive's action had been confirmed but declined to give the voting.

One of the delegates however said that there were 40 votes in favour of the Executive's action and 39 against. The Secretary refused to confirm those figures.—British Wireless.

Intelligent Economy.

London, Sept. 12.

The Ministry of Health has issued a circular to local government authorities stating the importance the Government attaches to a careful survey of local expenditure. The Government does not contemplate the local authorities embarking on a wholesale ill-considered course of cutting expendi-



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A photograph taken at the fruit canning factory, owned by the Wisbech Produce Cannery, which has recently been opened at Paddock Wood, Kent, in the heart of the fruit-canning district, which has for long been known as the Garden of England. The undertaking has been most successful. Fruit has been brought in from the neighbouring farms in ever-increasing quantities, and the factory workers, nearly one hundred in number, have been kept in continuous employment.

The islands being in view helped to allay the fears of the children who thought they were going to a picnic on the beach.

There was no necessity to cut the ropes and on examination of the damage done it was decided to beach the ship on Chinto Island.

The Baikal Maru arrived four hours later and the passengers from the German liner were placed aboard in a famished condition.

Miss Angela Lettau, the only woman who dared to return to the Burgenland, collected the belongings of herself, her sister and cousins and, cramming them into pillows, transferred them to the lifeboats.

They had balanced the budget but it remained to balance trade. Mr. Chamberlain declared that the policy of Conservative Party in favour of a tariff had acquired a new impetus. The time was past for hesitation and vacillation. Before long he believed the electors would have to give a decision which would be the turning point in history.—British Wireless.

non-European nations.

He suggested that a small committee of experts should be appointed to study the situation in Asiatic and Latin American economic centres. The necessity of bringing the crisis to an end was a big duty with which the world was faced.—British Wireless.

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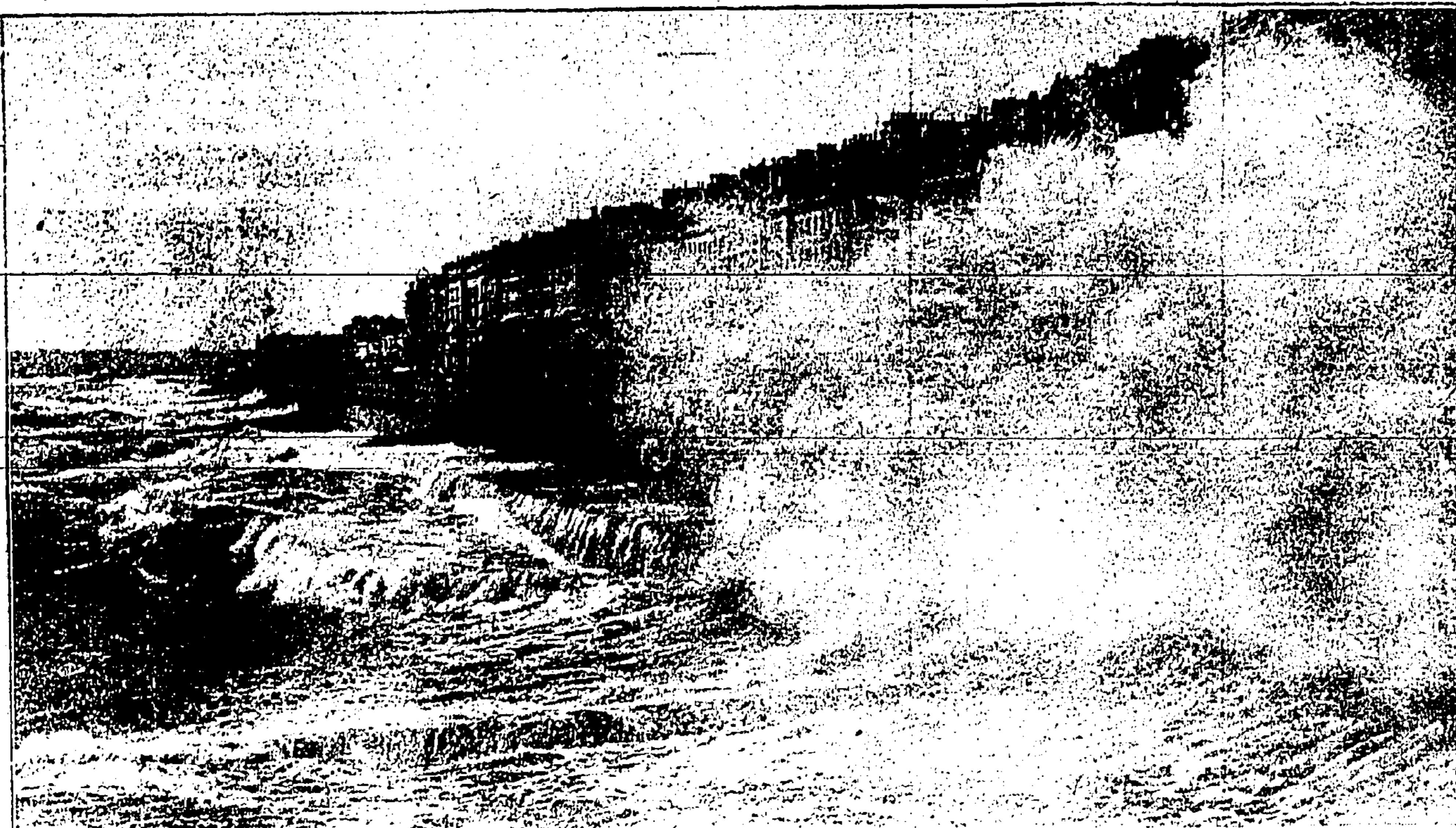
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TERRIFIC GALE ON SOUTH COAST OF BRITAIN.



Heavy seas again swept the whole of the South Coast recently and our picture, taken at high tide from the pier at St. Leonards, shows a huge wave dashing over the promenade. It will be seen that the lowest promenade is completely under water. The damage caused by the gale was particularly severe on this part of the coast.—(Times copyright).

Heart of Liane

by MABEL MCCELLIOTT

BEGIN HERE TO-DAY.

Cass Barrett, poor and struggling stock company actress, gladly seizes the opportunity to play summer stock at Willow Stream, a small Long Island colony. Her daughter, Liane, has been engaged, but her husband, Bert, Cass shows alarm at hearing his name and begs the girl to have nothing to do with him. She promises although feeling a great attraction for the man.

One night Van Lakes, her with him searching for Muriel Ladd, debutante who is believed to have eloped with Bert, arrives. Bert has turned up later, and Eddie Miller, the company ingenue, informs Ladd there is gossip about Van and Mrs. Ladd. The girl goes to see Cass, who is now engaged to Bert.

Liane is left with the rich Mrs. Cleespaugh while her mother goes on tour. Cass becomes ill in Philadelphia and Liane goes to her. Mystery concerning the girl's birth. Liane learns Robert and Muriel Ladd are engaged. Cass returns to the Cloughouse to confront them. She goes to Cleespaugh and Liane to marry him—a marriage of convenience she accepts.

Lambert and her sister, Tressa, arrive, visit the Cleespaugh. They decide to Liane, determined to break off the affair between Clive and Liane. Van Robert makes love to the young girl. Van tells his mother of the secret and she is pleased, prepared to tell an unscrupulous newspaper office and starts the woods rolling in a plot to ruin Liane.

CHAPTER XXIII

Thump-Thump! Bang! The great drum beat out a jungle dirge and the saxophone wailed to heaven. Occasionally the man with the brasses abandoned his terrible instruments of torture and rose to add his nasal voice to the clamour.

The beat went on and on endlessly. Liane, dancing with Clive, felt herself grow limply weary. Tireless, the musicians laboured on, adding bells and cymbal to the cacophony.

Now the man with the brasses was walling mournfully. His woes seemed to be the woes of the world. No one in the Alexis Club paid him any heed. The girls shuffled around in the arms of their escorts; their young faces curiously mask-like in the shifting lights. They danced without effort, almost without spirit. The music led them a melancholy pace.

Liane thought, "This might go on forever." Quite suddenly she wanted to scream. No wonder Mrs. Cleespaugh had objected to the expedition. The girl knew in her heart that she was being fanciful but all at once there seemed something curiously depraved in the atmosphere of this place. She sensed the grimness back of the waiter's almost cringing obsequiousness, the threat back of the dinner-coated captain's oily welcome.

"I'm slightly touched in the head," she said lightly to Clive as they threaded their way past innumerable tables at the dance's in-terminable end. "Does it seem to you that there is something vaguely menacing about this place?"

"Curious you should say that," Cleve observed. "I had felt it myself. Never been here before. It's new and Tressa was anxious to come. She said Van recommended it."

"Oh, it's nothing, really." Liane shrugged. "Just my imagination I suppose. I've been reading too many stories of battle and sudden death among gangsters."

Clive said thoughtfully, "I wonder."

Back at the table Tressa, with young Lambert Hammond was

was an accident. I was blameless. And the man lived."

"Oh, yeah? Well, whether he lived or died there's a lot of people in this man's town would be keen to know this rich boy's fiancee had such a past."

Liane sat frozen. Only her dark eyes showed her terror.

"You—there's nothing you can do," she said through stiff lips. "Anyhow, how do you know Mr. Cleespaugh doesn't know all about it?"

"Oh, it ain't him we're interested in. It's the old lady," the man said dryly. "She's gotta approve the bride, so I hear. That's town talk. And it seems she's pretty straitlaced. We want money to keep quiet about it and we want it quickly."

Liane asked for want of something better to say. "How much?"

"Ten grand. And right away!" He made an agile, catlike motion rising. "Your boy friend's coming back," he said out of the side of his mouth. "Be at Willow Stream station Tuesday at noon or we'll spill it to the tabloids."

Liane moved languidly out of sight.

Lambert Hammond came bustling up to the table, stirred out of his customary torpor. "Some stupid fools!" he said in an exasperated tone. "They kept me hanging on the wire for ages and then announced they'd got the wrong Hammond."

"You look queer," he went on bluntly. "Air in here's like a zoo! D'you feel ill or something?"

Liane said, "The air—yes, that must be it."

"Well, here comes the rest of the party. Let's pay the check and blow, Clive. This is a rotten show."

Clive looked blithely at the pair.

"Sorry to have kept Clive so long," she said in a voice of honey. "I turned my ankle and he had to help me to a dressing room. I do hope you two didn't mind."

Liane said "Not at all," very faintly. Clive managed to get to her side as they all went out through the narrow passage.

"That girl's the limit," he exploded. "She's trying to start something."

"It doesn't matter," Liane said lifelessly.

Clive gave her a sharp, concerned look.

"What's up? You look pretty well wrecked."

"Nothing. You just imagine it."

"Well, that was a rotten place to celebrate a birthday." He squeezed her arm. "You're a big girl now. Nineteen. Think of it! World to conquer."

She tried to smile. "You're all so good to me."

"Who wouldn't be?" His tone held a new warmth. He took her arm going down the dimly lighted, velvet carpeted stairs. Liane felt giddy as she saw a man at the entrance. "What is it?" No, thank God! The face turned toward her was one she'd never seen before. She shivered.

Clive, holding the white fur wrap that had been his mother's birthday present to her, asked "Cold?"

She snuggled in the luxurious folds. "No, but a rabbit walked over my grave."

"I shouldn't have brought you to this place. You didn't like it, did you?"



A new picture of Jeannette MacDonald, the star of the "Love Parade", who is on a visit to Europe and may appear shortly on the London stage.

Liane tried to infuse some warmth into her faint voice. "It was interesting. Such strange music."

She tried desperately to forget that dark man in the shadows. She almost managed to believe, once she reached the luxurious shelter of the big car, that she had dreamed the horrid interlude.

"Music all right," Clive returned dryly, "but what a gang!"

The girl did not answer.

When she was in her own room Liane sat, hands locked, staring out over the shadows of the trees. She had put out her night light and, wrapped in her satin and eiderdown dressing gown, had curled up in the big chair to think.

What on earth should she do?

To have that silly old story drayed through the newspapers would surely kill her mother.

Cass was so proud of her. And she herself had been, in that adventure, so innocent, so ignorant. Worlds younger seemed that pleasure-starved young girl who six months ago had gone unthinkingly to dinner with Molly Cronin and "a couple of the boys."

How was she to know the dinner would end in brawl and shooting?

Step by step she reviewed in her mind the events of that fearful night. Cass's strained face . . . Molly's impudence . . . Shane McDormid's kindly Irish smile.

Shane McDormid! Why hadn't she thought of him before? Out of all the world here was one man who might be able to tell her what to do.

Because, of course the question of getting the money for these people was simply absurd.

Who were they and why had they decided to prey on her? She had heard of such things. She had known they happened in a big, wicked city. But that this should



Our photo shows General Dawes, walking through a London street on his return from America.

happen to her! Liane shuddered and began to tremble all over with fear and cold.

She thought, "I'd better crawl into bed before I catch pneumonia."

And, thinking of Shane McDormid, she finally fell asleep.

(To be continued.)

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HONGKONG WINS.

SWIMMERS' VICTORY OVER SHANGHAI.

Shanghai, Sept. 12. Hongkong secured a victory over Shanghai and Tientsin in the triangular swimming contests, winning by a single point from Shanghai, with Tientsin several points behind. The visitors will be entertained to a dinner at the French Club this evening, the Hongkong swimmers being due to leave by the President Hoover.

There was great enthusiasm on the part of the spectators in the final night when Shanghai took the lead in the first event with a lead of four points over Hongkong and eleven over Tientsin. The opening event went to M. H. Feeney of Tientsin, who covered the 100 yards back stroke in the record time of 74.3/7 secs., which is 0.3/6 secs. better than the previous best time. Hongkong took second and third places through S. H. Wong and L. Roza Pereira, and the latter finished with 22 points each, with Tientsin obtaining 22 points.

In the diving contest L. Roza Pereira of Hongkong started, but later withdrew. Duell of Shanghai proved a popular winner, with Engel of Tientsin taking second and E. da Rosa third. Gittins won the 50 yards free style with Brown second and Nigliewitsky third. The winners finished practically abreast with the crowd cheering wildly.

Hongkong took six points in the 400 yards and thus won the Interport. Roza Pereira finished first, 30 yards ahead of Nigliewitsky, who in turn was 10 yards in front of S. V. Gittins. The time of 6 mins. 7.2/5 secs., returned by Roza Pereira, is a new record for Shanghai. The standing then was Hongkong 40, Shanghai 36 and Tientsin 29, with the water polo match between Hongkong and Shanghai to be played.

Hongkong's supporters went wild when Roza Pereira won. He was cheered and given a loud ovation. Gittins was also given an ovation. Though third, his point assured Hongkong of victory.

Winning the Water Polo by three goals to two, Shanghai gained three points, to leave them a single point behind Hongkong's total score.

The final standings were: Hongkong 40, Shanghai 39 and Tientsin 29.

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SHANGHAI WIN KESWICK CUP.

BEAT PEKING AT POLO AFTER EXTRA TIME.

Shanghai, Sept. 12. In the Interport Polo match between Shanghai and Peking, the former won by nine goals to eight, thus retaining the Keswick Cup. The second match of the series was one of the best and most exciting games ever seen in Shanghai.

Peking went off with a bang and scored five goals before Shanghai replied. Shanghai managed to take the lead in the middle of the last chukka but Peking equalized in the last minute with a brilliant goal.

Peking were most unlucky not to score during extra time and then Shanghai broke away to score the winning goal.—Reuters.

Martin Correa, who was recently tried for the murder of John Harrison, plumber on board the Empress of Russia, and Grichus Blas, who stood trial for the murder of members of the crew of the Empress of Canada, were both repatriated to Manila on Saturday by the President Taft. It will be recalled that the first-named was adjudged guilty but insane, while the other was found mentally unfit to plead.

IMPROVED SWIMMING.

R.A. WIN THE AREA AGGREGATE CUP.

An improved standard of swimming was shown on Saturday afternoon when the Seventh Inter-Unit Military Aquatic Sports were held at the V.R.C. The Royal Artillery carried everything before them and had no difficulty in winning the Area Aggregate Cup, being 47 points better than their nearest rivals, the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders.

The South Wales Borderers and the Sunil Units were the other units which participated in the competition, the former obtaining 14 points and the latter only three.

Competition was very keen in all events, every point being hardly fought for, as a result of which there were many close finishes, which provided plenty of excitement for the spectators.

Before presenting the prizes to the winners, at the conclusion of the sports H. E. Major General J. W. Sandilands thanked the organisers and helpers who had done so much to make the day's sports a success. He congratulated the men who took part in the Harbour Race, saying that he thought 73 competitors finishing an excellent percentage. He expressed the hope that next year, the number would be brought up to 100. He understood that a challenge had been issued against the Royal Navy when they return, for a competition to be held on similar lines as that day's sports, and he hoped that every one would keep fit so that they might be able to beat the Navy (Applause).

THE RESULTS.

The results were as follows:

Inter-Byt. Co. Relay—1, 12th Batt. R.A.; 2, 20th Battery R.A.; 3, H.Q. Wing, Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders.

Army Boys' Handicap Race (60 yards)—1, Burn; 2, Gascoigne; 3, Burns.

Army Boys' Championship (150 yards—three styles)—1, Sapper Evans (R.A.); 2, Pte. McPherson (A. & S.H.); 3, Pte. G. Shearer (A. & S.H.).

Officer's Race (100 yards)—1, Lt. Munson (R.A.); 2, Lt. Webb (R.A.); 3, Lt. Wolfe-Burke (R.A.).

Army Girls' Handicap Race (60 yards)—1, B. Kerich; 2, I. Perkins; 3, B. Shoemsmith.

Indian Relay Race—1, H.K. & S. Brigade, R.A.; 2, 3/9th Jat Regiment.

150 yards Championship—1, Gunner Oliver (R.A.); 2, Lt. Bdr. Forrester (R.A.); 3, Gunner Cavanagh (R.A.).

High Diving Competition (14 feet)—1, Gunner Oliver (R.A.); 2, Pte. Morrison (South Wales Borderers); 3, Gunner Pollard (R.A.).

Inter-Bds. and Bn. Relay Race—1, Royal Artillery; 2, Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders; 3, South Wales Borderers; 4, Small Units.

Enlisted Boys' Race (50 yards)—1, S. Selley (R.A.); 2, Orr; 3, Allen.

25 Yards Dash—1, Pte. McPherson (A. & S.H.); 2, L/Bdr. Williams (P.M.); 3, L/Bdr. Lewis (R.A.).

Polo—For the Aggregate Cup were—Royal Artillery, 81; A. & S.H., 34; South Wales Borderers, 14, and Small Units, 3.

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WOMEN'S WORLD FOR OUR LADY READERS.

BEAUTY HINTS.

[By Alicia Hart.]

It looks as if the hair were considering going back up into the head again before another season has come and gone.

That's just one effect of new hats.

Not that these new ones demand top-nots. Far from it. They encourage long-short jobs, fixed just right as to curls or chignons. But their successors may boost the crown higher and expect a top-not to fill them.

All this means that hair-care is more important. Just now half your head shows, if you put your new hats on the way the model shows you.

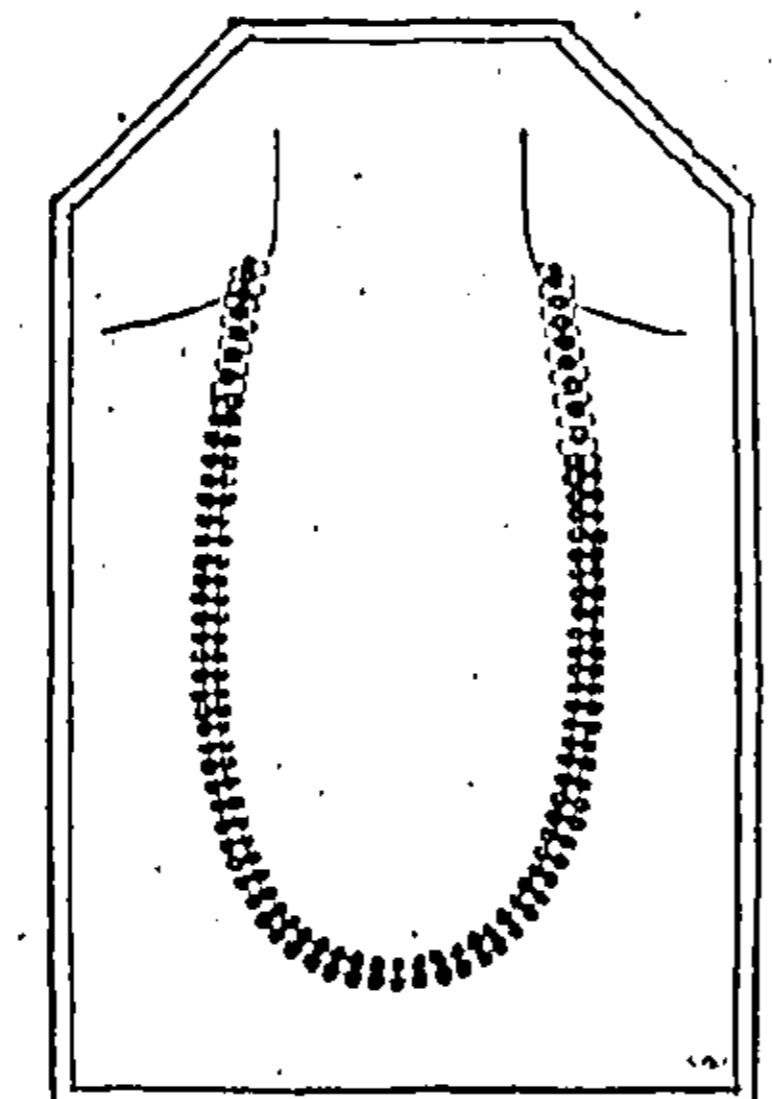
You should sweep it gently back from your face so that it waves in loose, natural waves over the temple and ear.

And it must be shiningly lovely. Having hats on the back of the head was bad enough on hair. It made you take pretty good care of it. But facing folks you could always outstrip any criticism they might be making mentally about your hair's condition. This way they gaze at your hair when your eyes are turned the other way. Being caught unawares, that way, you might as well be prepared to look your best.

The thing most hair needs in summer is a tonic, anyhow. Hot suns have burned it. Sands have swept through it. Salt water and salt air have done their worst. Your scalp may be crying out loud for a little bit of soothing oil. Give it to it. And give it a nourishing tonic too. Brush it. Massage it. If it is straight and stringy, do have a permanent. They are so satisfactory when done right. The idea of merely having to puff your hair this way and that and have a seemingly natural curl in it is just too irresistible an idea to be shunned.

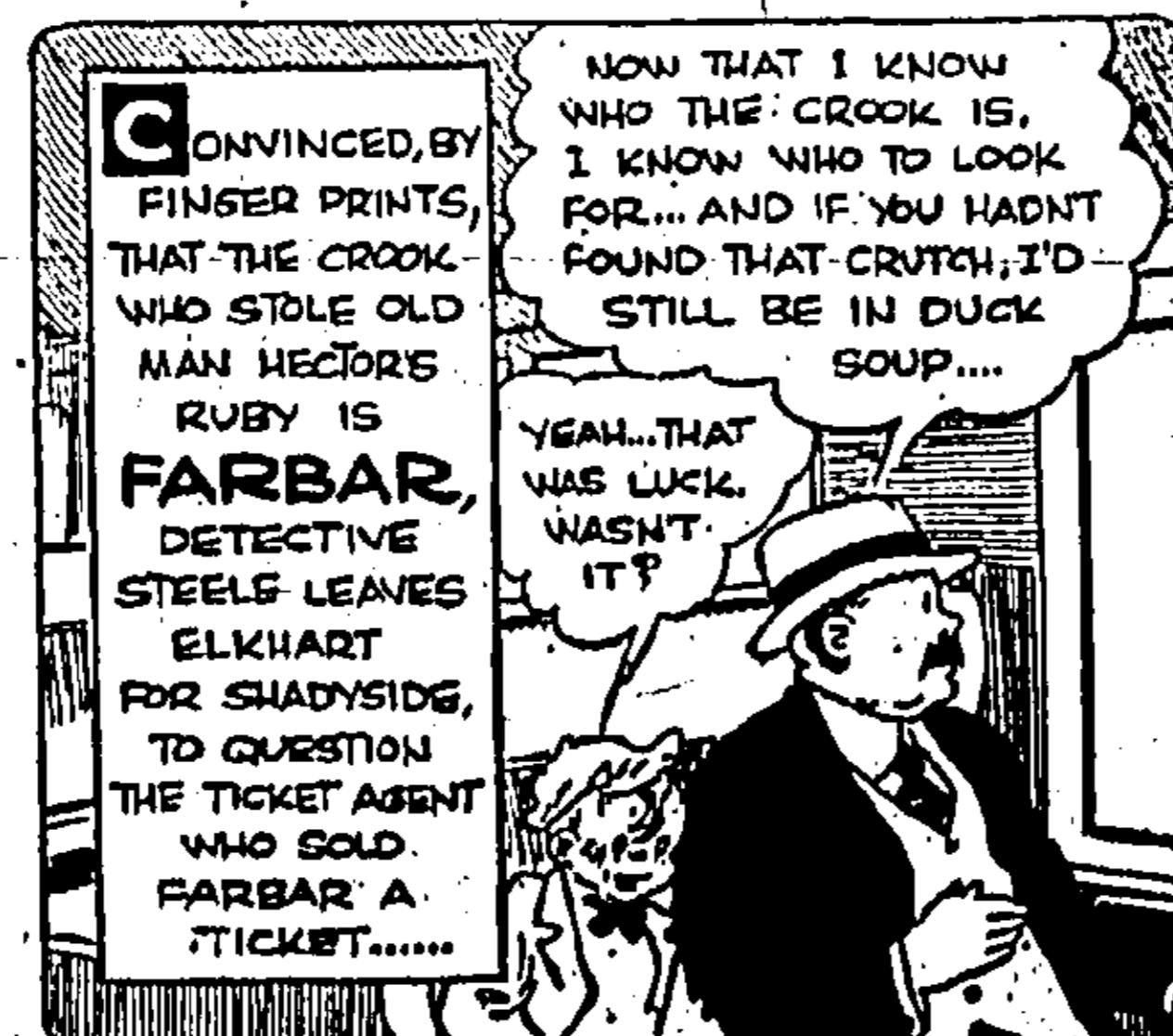
Last, but not least, learn how to fix your hair for new hats. Don't think they won't take new coiffures. They do. The main thing about such coiffures is to draw them back from the face, down over the ear and have some kind of interesting chignon or curls in the back. Try out all the pictures you see of new coiffures. You never can tell when one new style may be exactly the one for you. And that very fact of being experimental about things is stimulating.

A New Necklace.



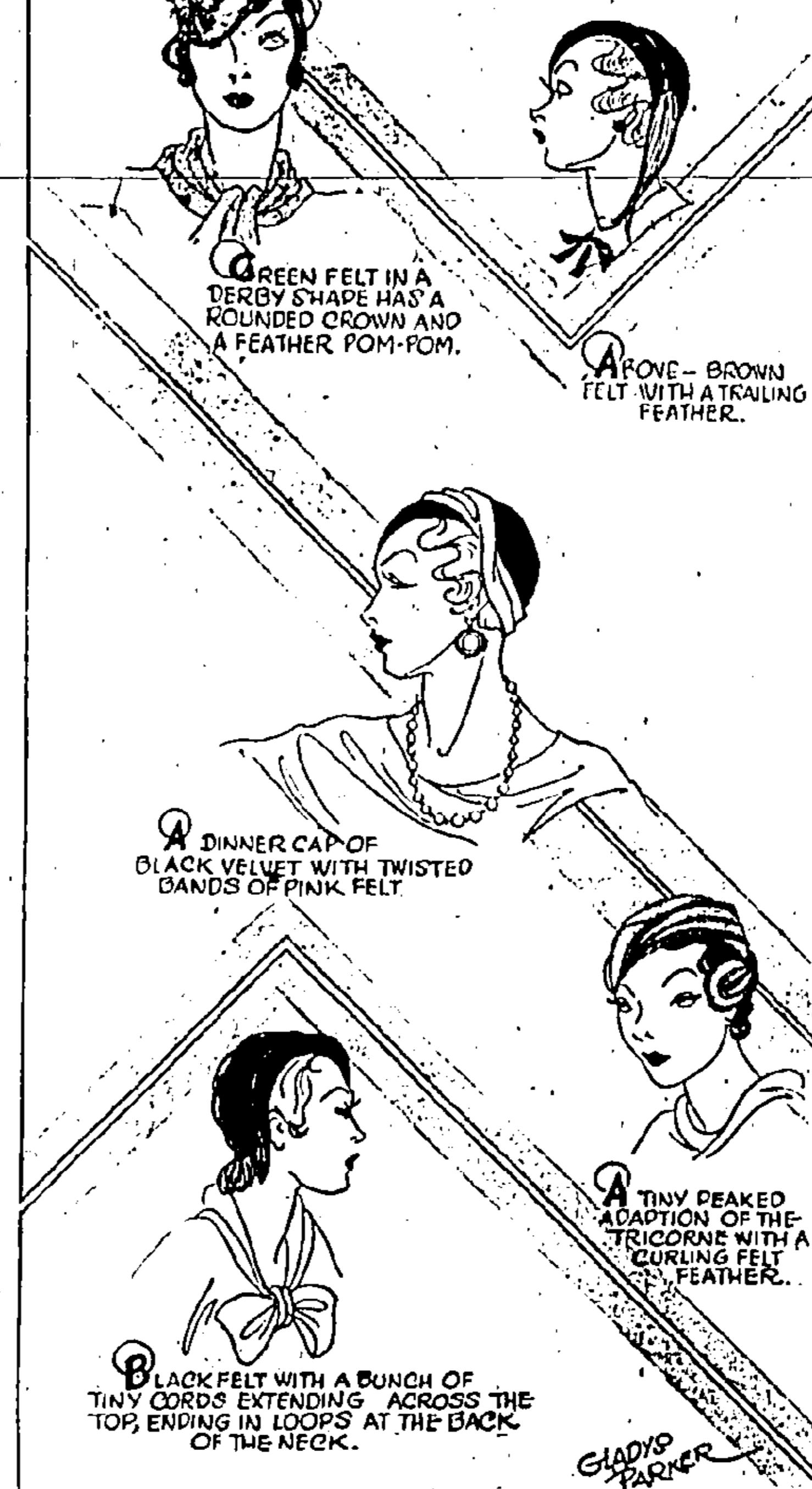
A new novelty necklace is made of black and white porcelain motifs shaped like dumbbells, to give a double bend effect.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



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THE NEWEST HAT IS PUSHED UP IN BACK AND DOWN OVER ONE EYE, SOMETIMES REVEALING HALF OF A WELL-WAVED COIFFURE



FIRST AID FOR FURNITURE.

[By an Expert.]

To cure a blister on veneer, using a sharp-pointed knife, cut a slit across it the same way as the grain of the wood runs. Take a tube of liquid glue that does not require heating and run a little under the blister. Gently press down flat and squeeze out all the surplus glue. Wipe the surface with a cloth wrung out of hot water, cover with a piece of paper, place a weight over and leave till set. Afterwards polish in the usual way.

Highly polished veneer sometimes develops a number of tiny hairlike cracks in the surface. This is because insufficient oil was used in the polishing process when the furniture was made. It can be remedied to some extent by being occasionally treated with a mixture of one part lemon oil and two parts boiled linseed oil. This should be applied with a rag just moistened with the mixture.

Scratches can be removed from varnish by being covered with a cloth saturated with linseed oil. This treatment is also good for scratches on very highly polished furniture.

Bruises and Scratches.

Bruises and scratches should be treated immediately. A small

scratch or dent can often be remedied with nut oil. This may be obtained by rubbing half the split kernel of a freshly shelled walnut on the bruise.

Bigger dents can often be put right by first wetting with warm water and then covering with several thicknesses of brown paper which have been well soaked in warm water, and then holding a hot iron on the paper until the moisture has disappeared. If the dent is an old one several applications may be necessary.

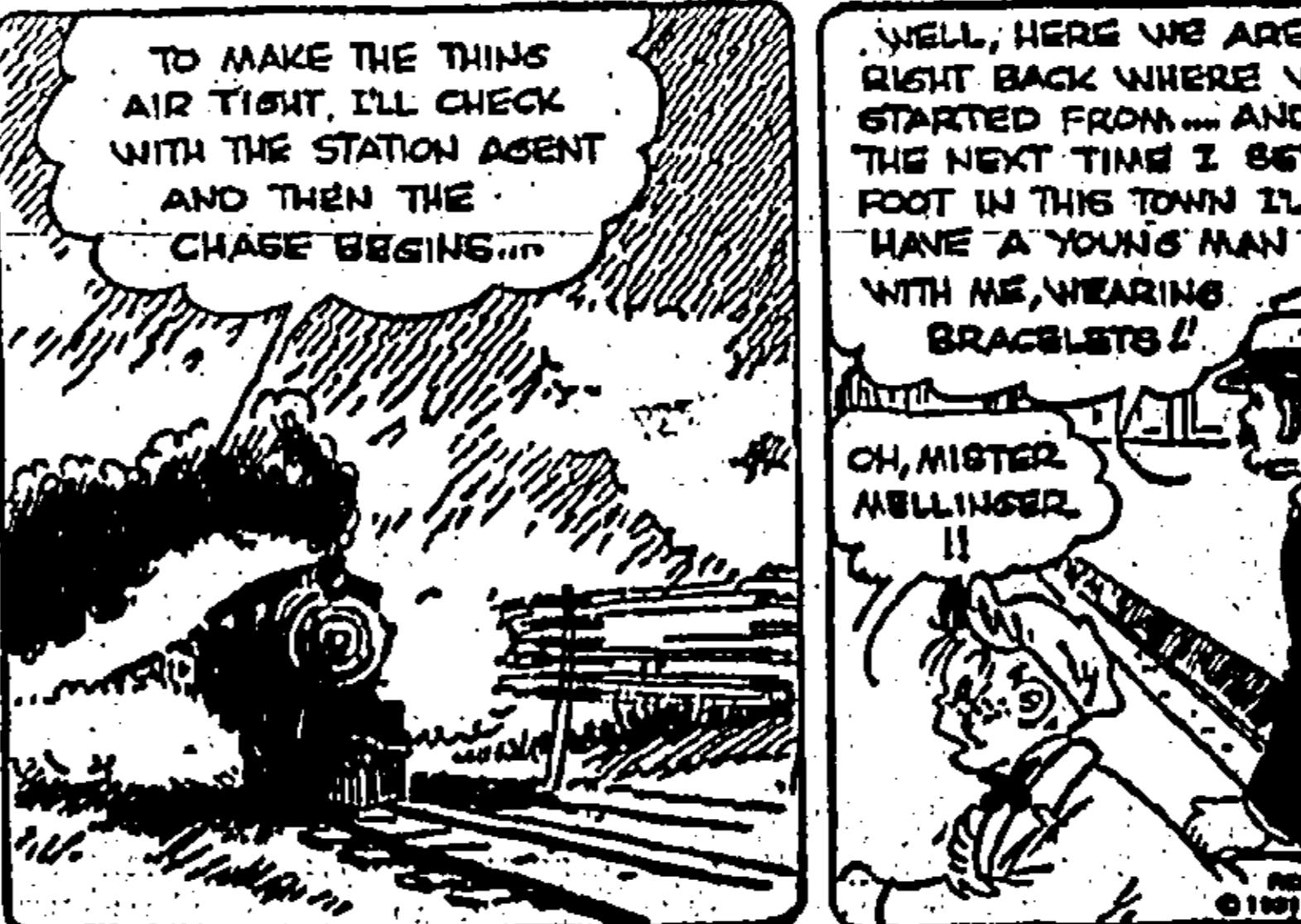
Mould can be removed from furniture by rubbing with a cloth wrung out of warm water to which ammonia has been added in the proportion of a tablespoonful to a gallon.

Stains can often be removed from furniture by well rubbing with a piece of cork cut perfectly smooth.

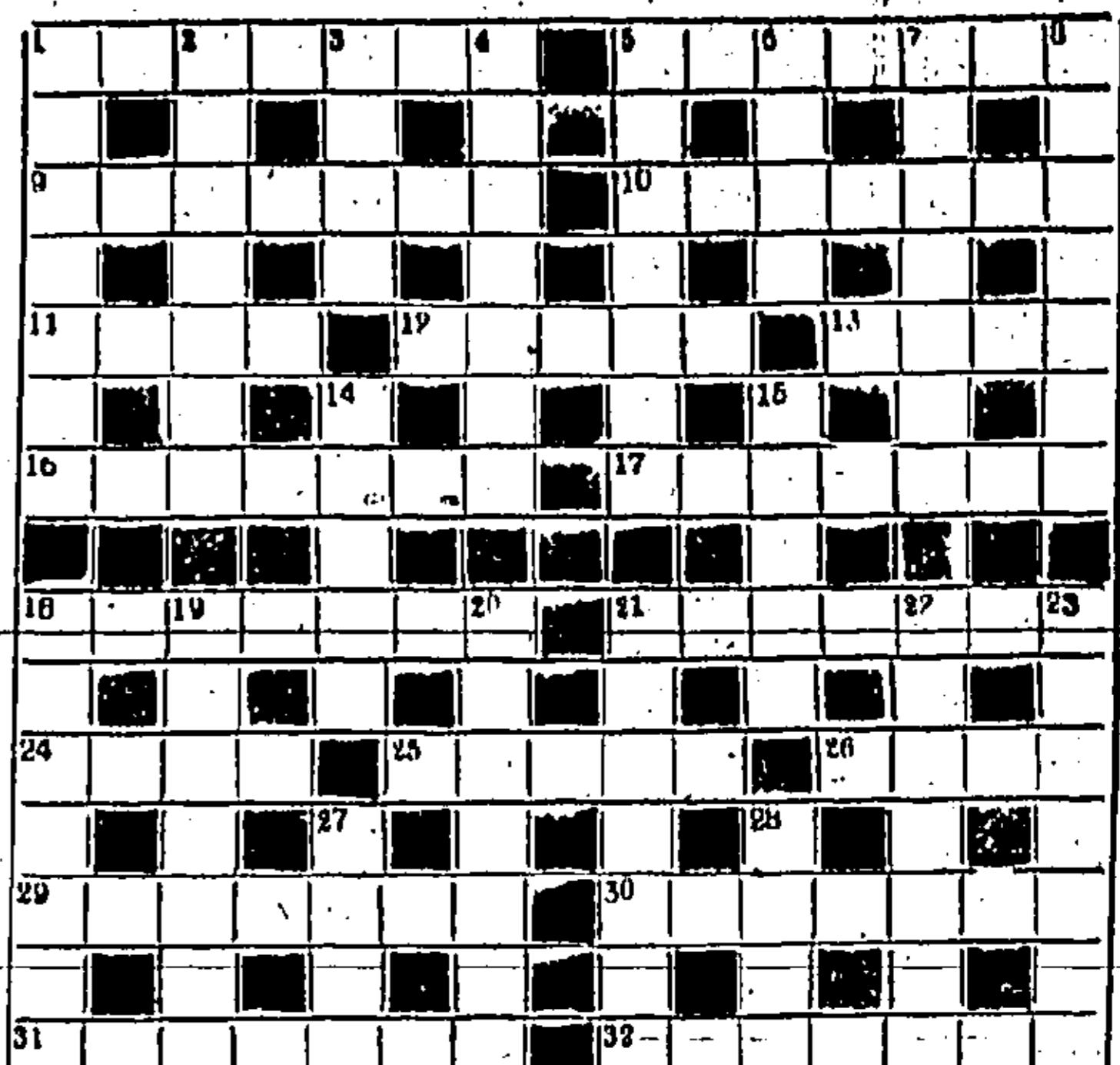
White marks caused by heated dishes will disappear if covered with a mixture of salad oil and salt, and allowed to remain for an hour or so, and then polished with a soft cloth.

Candle grease should never be scratched off furniture. A sponge or cloth should be wrung out of very hot water and held over the spot until the grease softens, when it may be wiped off the place rubbed with a chamois wrung out of hot water and then polished.

A Surprise!



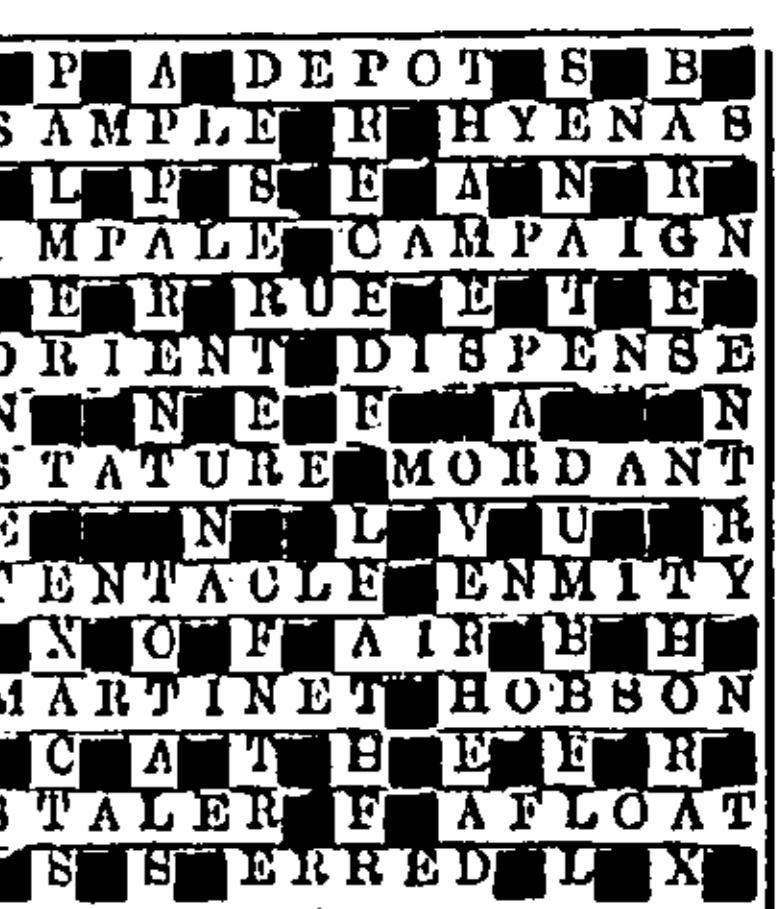
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- A matter of talk, in the provinces.
- Follow the pleasures of "Home, Sweet Home."
- This will give you a lot of help.
- There is quite an air about the sea monarch.
- Scared bull of the Egyptians.
- You'll have to give this a canny look.
- Come down behind the propeller in this part of Europe.
- Drive back. There is a thrill.
- The largest planet.
- Crushed.
- Don't let this go off in your hand.
- Helps to keep the Laplander warm in his hut.
- This may be a convenient opportunity, and is more or less certain.
- "Big slice" (mag).
- You will get a rise out of this. It is beginning to grow.
- Here you quickly get warm, though the time I give you is purely imaginary.

Saturday's Solution.



Down

- Useful when spinning a yarn.
- When you are in action beware of the knock-out.
- Bound to be sore when he comes back—no wonder, he has this for long.
- Pierce and feline.
- Often meet in conjunction with others.

Saturday's Solution

STICKERS

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By putting a certain letter in place of each of the dashes and another certain letter in place of each of the stars, you can form a sentence. Just two letters are used—one for the dashes and one for the stars.

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**U.S. UNEMPLOYMENT
PROBLEM.**

Not only Britain, but the United States as well, is expecting the unemployment problem to loom largely in the coming winter. Judging from advice from Washington, however, Mr. Hoover remains firm in his twofold resolve to avoid the summoning of Congress in special session and to treat unemployment relief as a matter of private charity with which the Federal Government has no concern. It will be interesting to see how long the President can stand his ground in the face of appeals from State Governors, cries of anguish from bankrupt local bodies, and threats from party managers driven frantic by a fast-spreading revolt in the regular Republican ranks. The more cautious estimates of unemployment in the United States give six millions as the figure; Senator Borah declares that the total may reach twelve millions by next winter.

All the local relief organisations are coming to the end of their resources. The community chests in the cities have long been exhausted. The directors of the American Red Cross are being forced to realise that the whole of their immense reserves may have to be made available for the city and county authorities which hitherto throughout the country have carried at least 80 per cent. of the relief. Mr. Hoover persists in regarding himself as the champion of "rugged individualism," and in some quarters it is thought he will be found clinging to his formula until the election campaign of next year, by which time the more advanced industrial States will be far on the road to unemployment insurance. In a recent statement, Mr. Hoover enumerated measures he has under way for the formulation of a plan and organization making it clear that he proposes to take the leadership this winter in meeting the problem of unemployment and its relief. As outlined by the President his study and survey have so far included the following:—Inquiry as to the volume of distress likely to require relief, and conferences with business, finance and labour leaders as to Interstate industries that may be of assistance. It is to be

observed that the former insistence by the President that the problem of unemployment relief was one to be handled entirely by the communities is missing. The President, in fact, specifically opens the way for federal aid with the observation that methods used last winter will be "adapted in such manner as may be necessary for the coming winter." This does not necessarily mean that the President has determined upon a plan for federal aid, but the capital reads into his announcement confirmation of reports that he is considering such measures. One of these reports is to the effect that a bill is in the process of drafting that would extend federal aid to communities for unemployment relief on the same basis that good roads funds are now given states, that is, on a dollar-for-dollar arrangement.

The President's statement also makes it clear that he fully realises the political implications of the unemployment and relief problem. The issue promises to be the major topic of controversy at the coming session of Congress, a congress that is widely expected to be hostile to the Administration.

Facing powerful agitation and various legislative projects for dealing with the problem by the opposition, the President apparently is determined to meet their offensive with an attack of his own. He has been urged to do so by many of his close friends and advisers. It will be interesting to watch the outcome.

The Premier's Feeler.

Events of practical interest to the political observer, the emergency budget, the sweeping economies proposed by the National Government, have tended to divert attention from some significant sentences by the Prime Minister, justifying closer inquiry. In effect, Mr. Ramsay MacDonald said that the time was not far ahead when the banking system of the world would have to be re-examined, together with the vital question of war debts and reparations. He had in mind, without a doubt, certain recommendations of the MacMillan Committee. Set up in 1929, events have since moved so swiftly in financial and industrial spheres that the origin of the committee's establishment is apt to be overlooked. It was complained in 1929 that high money rates—produced by the stock boom in America—were retarding industrial expansion, that the gold standard had operated in such a way as to justify doubts of the value of continued adherence to it. Britain by borrowing short and lending long was drifting into an unsound position, and that the Bank of England was not entirely satisfied with the contentions that it should cease to be a private institution. The Committee were invited to point the way in which improvements in the general financial machinery of Great Britain might be effected. While the Committee was deliberating, however, a heavy fall in commodity prices occurred and money rates slumped to record low levels, disposing immediately of the contention that the cost of banking accommodation is always of paramount importance in promoting or retarding industrial activity. The trade depression intensified in spite of low money rates. As the Committee remarks, "when conditions of extreme uncertainty have developed, a mere change in the cost of short-term credit is not sufficient to attract borrowers." It might be added that by itself, cheap money does not create purchasing power, the real essence of the problem. On the gold standard, certain criticisms are held to be justified. The "automatic" character of the system has failed to function. America and France have not employed the money due to them from abroad in the way in which Britain as a creditor nation has always employed hers, namely in additional imports or additional long term foreign loans, while the situation is further complicated by the war debts and reparations. They do not involve a reciprocal movement, but a flow in one direction only, and a breakdown of the gold standard is inevitable unless the movement taking place for years

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DAY BY DAY

HONESTY IS THE BEST POLICY, BUT HE WHO ACTS ON THAT PRINCIPLE IS NOT AN HONEST MAN.—Richard Whately.

The P. and O. s.s. Garbeta, from Shanghai, is due here on Thursday morning.

A non-Chinese case of diphtheria and a Chinese case of typhoid were notified during the week-end.

Mr. W. R. Mansfield returned to Hongkong by the s.s. President Wilson to-day after a visit to Manila.

Internal injuries were suffered by Liu Hing, aged 32, who fell from the cockpit of a Tai Yuen Street whilst asleep yesterday morning.

Mr. F. C. Jenkins was congratulated by the Chief Justice and Mr. Justice Lindell on Saturday, in the Supreme Court, on his appointment as a K.C.

The steersman of a trading junk was fined \$15 for leaving port without a clearance yesterday, by Comdr. Nevill, the Deputy Harbour Master, at the Marine Court this morning.

Wong Shiu, aged 44 of 229, Hollywood Road, has been removed to the Government Civil Hospital in a serious condition suffering from the effects of opium poisoning, believed to be self-administered.

On the application of Mr. F. C. Jenkins, conditional leave to appeal to the Privy Council in the case of Sung Man-che, alleged Amritani Revolutionary, was granted by the Chief Justice on Saturday.

Found by her husband hanging at their house at 7, Hollywood Road, Choi Yuk-lam aged 22, was taken to the Government Civil Hospital in an unconscious condition. It is stated that she attempted to commit suicide.

Mrs. Donaldson, of 31C, Peking Building, third floor, has reported to the police the theft of a watch, a tape and an umbrella from her bedroom some time between 1 a.m. and 7 a.m. yesterday. The total value of the missing articles is given as \$50.

Charged before Mr. Fraser, at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning, with returning from banishment, a man named Li Yan was sentenced to one year's imprisonment. It was stated that the defendant had been in prison almost continuously since 1926, and had returned from banishment four times.

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This peril of permanent bachelors has got to stop if women require husbands. Yet what can be done to overcome men's real reluctance to marry? Hadn't we better resort to the natural feminine wiles to attract the male, and use the soft lure Mother Nature bestowed upon us instead of the "good old pal" attitude?

Isn't it high time we became truly "womanly women" once more, devoting our time and services to our lords and masters?

"Boy friends" may be all very well in their way but most unsatisfactory when they lose us the permanent husband.

Think of the frivolyous little wives who have frittered away a decent husband's love for the cheap thrill of a "boy friend's" less permanent admiration. Where does it end? In the Divorce Courts, possibly—and then what?

Or the other hand, possibly it doesn't get as far as the courts—what then? Two souls rub miserably along—she with some boy friend and he with some girl friend or other. Is it an example which any male will long to imitate? It is true she has the position of mistress of a house-

over spill milk.

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"Where did you get that hat?" were only to be expected at a tournament where Napoleonic cockades jostled peaked caps of the "Fares please" tradition.

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Who Wouldn't Be A Bachelor?

By The Hon. Mrs. JAMES RODNEY.

HAVING just returned from a

hold—Mrs. is attached to her name, and the protection and background that a husband living in the house affords—but what has he got out of the bargain?

An expensive bit of humanity to maintain—no real home, and often not even children to make it seem a little more worth while.

This is what it has come to.

Instead of a young man realising the value of a wife and home,

from his schooldays onwards he is steeling himself against marriage!

There are many little ways of showing a man our true interest in a home, our knowledge of cooking and other domestic duties, which would encourage him to wish to marry. Besides, he longs for the opportunity to protect and take care of the truly feminine type of woman. It is for these reasons that he is willing to lose the gay bachelor days and acquire the responsibilities of a husband and father. And it's up to us to realise it before it is too late

HIPPS hears**SOME OF THE BIG NOISES.**

Seventeen Englishmen who still say "Oyez" in preference to "Oh Yeah," congregated recently at Lyme Regis, Dorset.

That fact alone would have drawn me to the West Country, but these seventeen Englishmen were not merely dissenters from the anglo-kluxian dialect of Hollywood. They were in fact the Biggest Noises in the town-crying industry, competing for the championship of England and Wales.

The weather was enough to make even amateurs cry. Nevertheless, the hundreds of spectators kept up their spirits, as well as their umbrellas, during the whole competition.

An Acquired Art.

Town-crying, of course, is an acquired art. You can't be born a town-crier. Some babies, it is true, show amazing form at eight months, only to fall off badly in tone and volume when the teeth are all present and correct.

The 17 entrants in yesterday's championship all had to broadcast the same programme. Yet there were very few dull-entertainments.

For one thing there was an unlimited variety in their uniform. Apparently there is no definite criterion as to what smart men are crying in this season. The Bridport stentor looked like a regimental trombone player. The Keynsham loud-speaker, with powdered wig (though I am afraid he didn't keep his powder dry) and knee-breeches might have been taken for Mons. Beauchef, and the black suit and hard felt hat of the Portl (Glamorgan) crier suggested a stockbroker crying over spilled milk.

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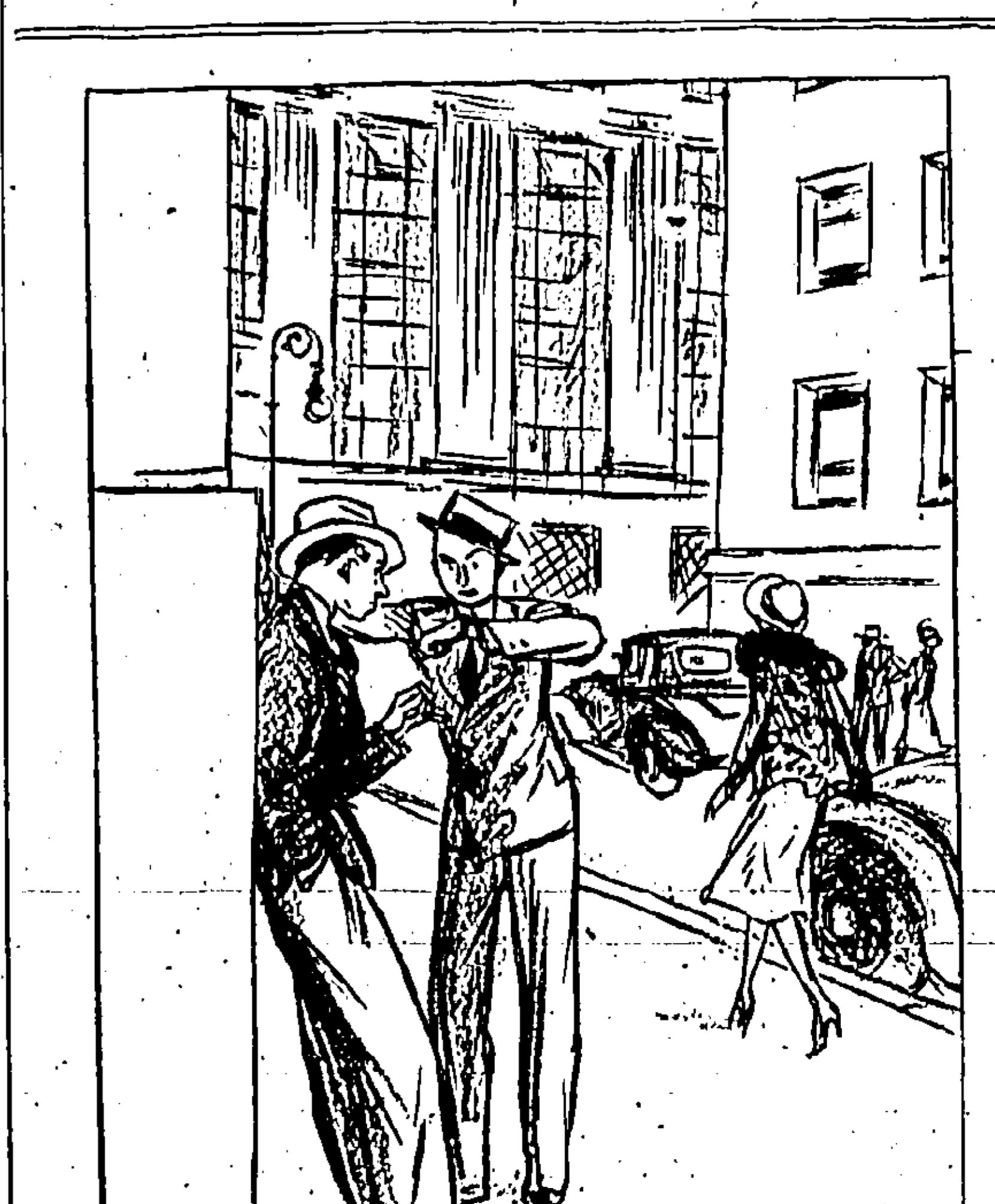
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STRONG POLICY DEMANDED.

JAPANESE INDIGNATION WITH CHINA.

NUMEROUS ISSUES.

Tokyo, Sept. 8.
The feeling of indignation in Japan against China is increasing day by day, giving rise to the belief that a serious crisis in the relations between the two countries is imminent unless there is some unexpected development in the situation which will avert it.

Even in the ranks of the Minseito (Government) Party there appears to be a considerable divergence of views on the question of the advisability of Japan continuing to pursue the "policy" of patience and conciliation towards China which was laid down by Baron Shidehara, the present Minister of Foreign Affairs, when he took over that portfolio. Many Government supporters, while condoning that the continued advocacy of a "strong" policy by many of the military leaders is deserving of censure, are of the opinion that Baron Shidehara's policy has proved as untenable as the "positive" policy pursued by General Baron Tanaka when he was Premier a few years ago. It is, therefore, suggested that some intermediate line of policy ought to be sought.

Strong Stand Demanded.

Nevertheless, despite the desire in some quarters to follow a "middle" course, there seems no doubt that the belief is growing in influential political circles that unless Japan takes a strong stand in connection with the recent murder of Captain Nakamura on the Mongolian border and in regard to the other points at issue with China, the latter country will continue what is described as her policy of procrastination.

In this connection it is understood there are over 300 points at issue between the two countries awaiting settlement.

Japanese Chauvinists assert that the conciliatory policy pursued by the Soviet a few years ago in their relations with China led the former nowhere, with the result that Russia's prestige showed a steady decline in the Far East. They allege that it was not until Russia turned round in connection with the Chinese Eastern Railway incident and waged war in Manchuria that she was able to get a conference opened at Moscow to thresh out the points concerning which she has been endeavouring to arrive at a settlement for a number of years. These Chauvinists therefore urge Japan "to learn the lesson" and adopt a more "positive" policy in setting the many questions at issue.

Cabinet Meeting.

A meeting of the Cabinet was held to-day to consider the situation. After discussing the failure of the Chinese authorities to give satisfaction in connexion with the death of Captain Nakamura, the Cabinet decided to await the result of the second investigation, which is at present being carried out by the Chinese authorities at Mukden—before taking any action, but a resolution was passed that the military and diplomatic authorities would act in concert "regarding what action to take if the Chinese fail to show sincerity in conducting the investigations promptly."

Thorburn Case Compared.

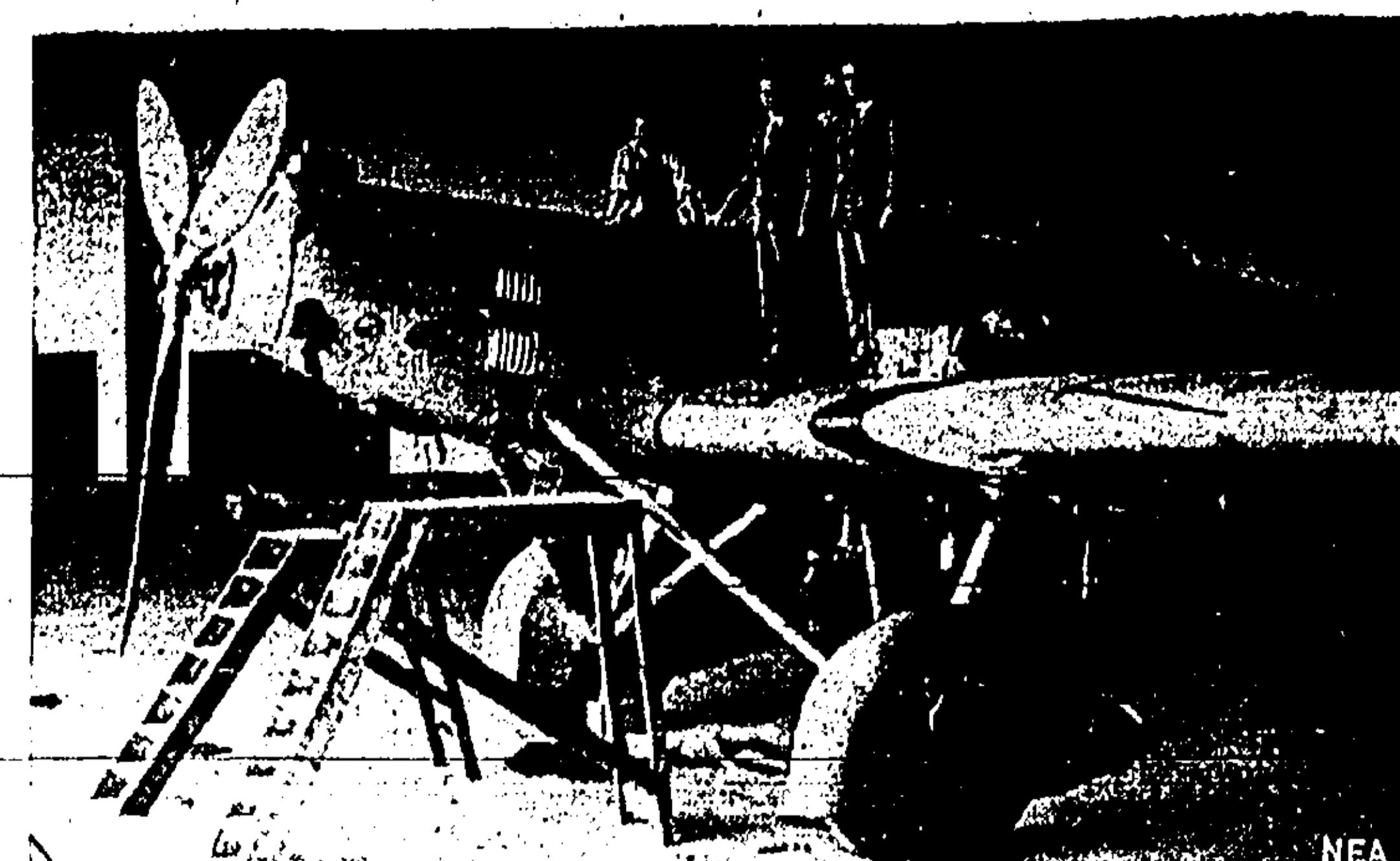
The War Minister told the Cabinet that the military authorities possess "authentic" information that the ring-leader of the soldiers who shot Nakamura and his companion confiscated all their money and personal effects and distributed a portion among his followers."

It is noteworthy that the Japanese newspapers are emphasising the similarity of the Chinese attitude towards the Thorburn case with that towards the Nakamura case.

Meanwhile there is an inclination in some quarters to criticise the Japanese military authorities at Kanazawa, where six army planes, under instructions from the local divisional headquarters, scattered large numbers of handbills yesterday warning the nation of the "dangers threatening Japan's special rights and interests in Manchuria." Enquiries at the War Office elicited an assurance that the pamphlets were not inflammatory in nature but were merely intended to awaken the public to a proper sense of the necessities of national defence."

The Health Bulletin of Eastern Ports for the week ending the 5th inst., shows the following cases of infectious diseases and the deaths therefrom: Plague, Alexandria 2 cases 1 death, Baghdad 1 case, Bassoul 1 case 1 death, Colombo 1 case 1 death, Cholera, Barrow (Province of) 6 cases 3 deaths, Bombay 5 cases 5 deaths, Calcutta 3 cases 2 deaths, Madras 1 case, Canton 1 case, Greater Shanghai 58 cases, Shanghai 8 deaths. Smallpox, Bombay 1 case 1 death, Calcutta 1 case 1 death, Madras 1 case.

PARIS-TOKYO FLIGHT DISASTER.



Our photo shows the ill-fated "Hypothèse" being prepared for her flight to Tokyo. Marcel Doret (right) and Lieut. Joseph Le Brix are seen standing on the wing of the huge monoplane. M. Meamini, who together with Lieut. Le Brix, was killed, is in the shadow.

CORRESPONDENCE.

The University Sensation.
[To the Editor, Hongkong Telegraph.]

Sir, I am afraid Mr. Leong, by his letter in your Saturday's issue, lays himself open to the very charge of exaggeration and misrepresentation which he so stoutly condemns.

I do not recollect the press reports giving any details of serious injuries, though they did mention a savage attack that might have proved fatal. By assuming that such an attack must necessitate the victim's staying in hospital a month or two, he shows a lack of common knowledge. Surely he ought to know, savage attacks endangering life, but leaving no evidence of serious injury, are carried off daily, by unscrupulous but careful crooks the world over.

While Mr. Leong has failed to prove exaggeration on the part of the University Authorities, it is to be regretted that he, as an undergraduate, has shown so little respect for the evidence of his superiors, and such a lack of loyalty to the institution that has the job of educating him. He may appear rather bold in trying to refute authoritative evidence, but he would do well to consider seriously what the wised man of his own race said: "There is a love of boldness without the love of learning; the beclouding here leads to insubordination." Yours, etc.

G. A. LEN.



A close-up of Lieut. Le Brix, one of France's most famous airmen, who was associated with Costes in a memorable world flight. He has flown the Atlantic from Senegal to Port Natal twice since 1927.

POLICE RESERVE.

ORDER FOR THE COMING WEEK.

Police Reserve Orders by the Hon. Mr. E. D. C. Wolfe, C.M.G., Inspector General of Police, state:—

Aquatic Sports.
Members of the Police Reserve are reminded that the 10th Annual Aquatic Sports of the Police and Prison Departments will be held at the V.R.C. on Saturday, September 19th, 1931, commencing at 2.30 p.m. All Police Reservists and their families are cordially invited to attend.

Training Course—Part II.
The weekly classes for Police Reservists at the Chinese Company's Headquarters, 17, Queen's Road Central will be held as usual on Tuesday, September 15th at 5.30 p.m. All members of the Chinese and of the Flying Squad who have not passed Part II of Training Course should attend.

Indian Company.
The weekly classes for members of the Indian Company who have not passed Part II of Training Course should attend at the Chinese Company's Headquarters, at 17, Queen's Road Central on Thursday, September 17th at 5.30 p.m.

Sharpshooters' Company.
Riot Drill will be carried out on Kennedy Road on Wednesday, September 16th at 5.30 p.m. Members will fall in outside Queen's Pier at 5.20 p.m. sharp with revolvers, belts, and truncheons. Uniform optional. (Sgd.) D. L. KING, D.S.P. (R).

£1,000,000 IN SIGHT.

BULLION WAITING TO BE LIFTED.

Brest, Aug. 14.
Her task almost completed, the salvage ship Artiglio II, with which it is hoped to recover the £1,000,000 of gold in billion-gunc in the Atlantic in the British liner Egypt, returned to port today after four days at sea.

Bad weather had hampered the work, but during 20-hour spell of comparative calm, divers placed and exploded forty dynamite charges, making a large hole in the upper deck and exposing the treasure room to view.

It now remains only to clear away the debris caused by the explosions and remove the treasure. Powerful steel chains and special lifting mechanism for this purpose were loaded on to the Artiglio this afternoon.

With the first hint of fine weather the final attempt will be made, and it is understood there is every likelihood that the bullion will be recovered within the next fortnight.

CIMARRON.

PIONEER PICTURE AT QUEEN'S.

Full of action, without any special connexion, and telling the somewhat romantic history of the development of Oklahoma as a State, "Cimarron," now showing at the Queen's, is an excellent picture for those who rejoice in that sort of thing.

Produced on a spectacular scale, thrills abound, but a good deal of the effect is lost by a crude sentimentality which may have been true to the life of that day, but which fails to "get over" in 1931.

Richard Dix carries the burden of the picture with great success and some of the subsidiary characters make a distinctly good impression.

Mr. C. M. MacDonald, formerly Editor of the *China Mail* and later Times correspondent at Peking, arrived by the President Taft on Friday to become News Editor of the *S. C. M. Post*.

THE NAUTILUS.

LEAVES LONGYEAR CITY IN SNOWSTORM.

Longyear Cy., Spitz., Sept. 12.
The Nautilus left here last night in a snowstorm, and is probably making for Norway as the trans-Atlantic crossing at the present time is considered too risky.—Reuter.

Just over an inch of rain was recorded at the Royal Observatory during the 24 hours ended at 10 a.m. today. This almost brings the year's total up to average, the fall to date being 70.27 inches, against an average of 70.66 inches.

The decomposed body of an unknown Chinese has been found by the police hanging from a tree on the hillside near the village of Cheung Uk on the Tai Po Road. It is thought that the man committed suicide, no circumstances indicating anything to the contrary.

RADIO BROADCAST

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME.

From Z. B. W. on a wavelength of 365 metres.
5.00-7.00 p.m. Chinese Programme.
7.00-10.30 p.m. European Programme of Victor Records kindly supplied by Messrs. Tsang Fook Piano Co.
7.00 p.m. Stock Quotations, Mail Notice, etc.

7.05-7.15 p.m. Variety.
Orchestra—Black Eyes.
Orchestra—Nat Shilkrot and the Victor Orchestra.

Instrumental Trio—Herd Girl's Dream.

Instrumental Trio—Happy Days.

Napolian Trio, 19872.

Male Quartet—Where the Silver Colorado Wends its way.

Male Quartet—Turn to Gold.

Peerless Quartet, 19885.

Piano-Accordian Solo—Italian-Spanish Favours.

Piano-Accordian Solo—Verona Waltz.

Mario Perry, 20240.

Bird Voices—Songs of Our Native Birds.

Charles Kellogg (The Nature Singer), 35785.

Organ Solo—In a Little Spanish Town.

Organ Solo—Just a Bird's-eye View of my Old Kentucky Home.

Jesse Crawford, 20468.

8.00 p.m. (Local Time and Weather Report).

8.45-8.50 p.m. Piano Solos.

Capriccio (Scarlett).

Serenade for the Doll (Debussy).

Vladimir Horowitz, 1963.

Narcissus (Nevin).

Rustle of Spring (Sinding).

Hanna Barth, 20121.

8.05-8.15 p.m. Orchestral.

Napolian Nights (Kerr-Zamecnik).

Allah's Holiday (Haertel-Fried).

Victor Salon Orchestra, 20035.

Silver Threads Among the Gold (Rexford-Davis).

Victor Salon Orchestra, 19992.

William Tell-Overture (Rossini).

Victor Symphony Orchestra, 20097-20000.

Merry Wives of Windsor (Nicolai).

Victor Symphony Orchestra, 35704.

8.45-9.15 p.m. Operatic.

Song-Carmen-Gypsy Song (Blitz).

Song-Carmen-Love is Like a Wood Bird (Blitz).

Maria Jeritza (Soprano), 8091.

Band-Cavalier Rusticana-Selection (Mascagni).

Croato's Band, 35815.

Song-La Gioconda-Heaven and Ocean (Ponchielli).

Song-Elixir of Love-A Furtive Tear (Donizetti).

Beniamino Gigli (Tenor), 7194.

9.12-9.40 p.m. Hawaiian Music.

Hawaiian Moon.

Hano Hano Hawaii.

Kane's Hawaiians, 20704.

Hawaiian Dreams.

Hilo Hawaiian Orchestra, 20590.

Kalena Kai.

Paolo.

Kane's Hawaiians, 20700.

Song of Hawaii.

Dinny Miss.

Hilo Hawaiian Orchestra, 21037.

9.40-9.58 p.m. Musical Comedy Gemini.

No Nonnette.

Rosa-Marie.

Victor Light Opera Co., 35756.

The Chocolate Soldier.

The Merry Widow.

Victor Light Opera, 35416.

9.55-10.25 p.m. Instrumental.

Quartet-Venetian Love Song (Nevin).

Quartet-Spring Song (Mendelssohn).

Florentine Quartet, 20195.

Cello Solo-Musette (Bach).

Cello Solo-Mazurka (Popper).

Pablo Casals, 1349.

Piano Solo-Moonlight Sonata (Beethoven).

Harold Bauer, 6815-6816.

Violin Solo-Slavonic Dance No. 1 (Dvorak).

Violin Solo-Song My Mother Taught Me (Dvorak).

Fritz Kreisler, 1414.

10.25 p.m. Rugby Mid-day Press News.

10.30 p.m. Close Down.

THE MODERN WAY.

"FRIGIDAIRE" MODELS ON VIEW.

Since "Frigidaire" refrigeration was introduced to this part of the world, many hundreds of these excellent freezing and cooling machines have been sold, although there is still a wide field to cater for. The necessity of taking every precaution with foodstuffs in this climate, leaves little excuse for the home which does not possess a "Frigidaire," for so many are the advantages plus the guarantee of perfect refrigeration; that unnecessary risk is taken by keeping of the old ice-box method.

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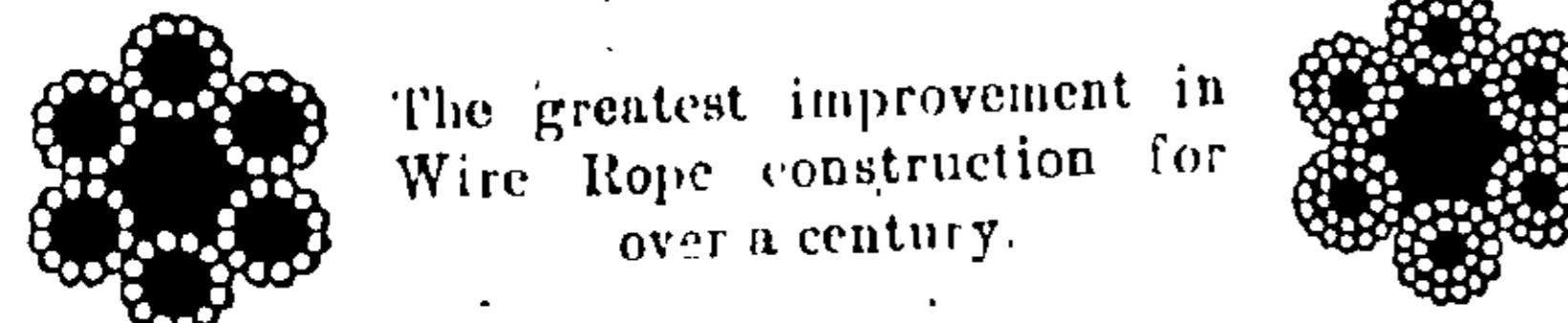
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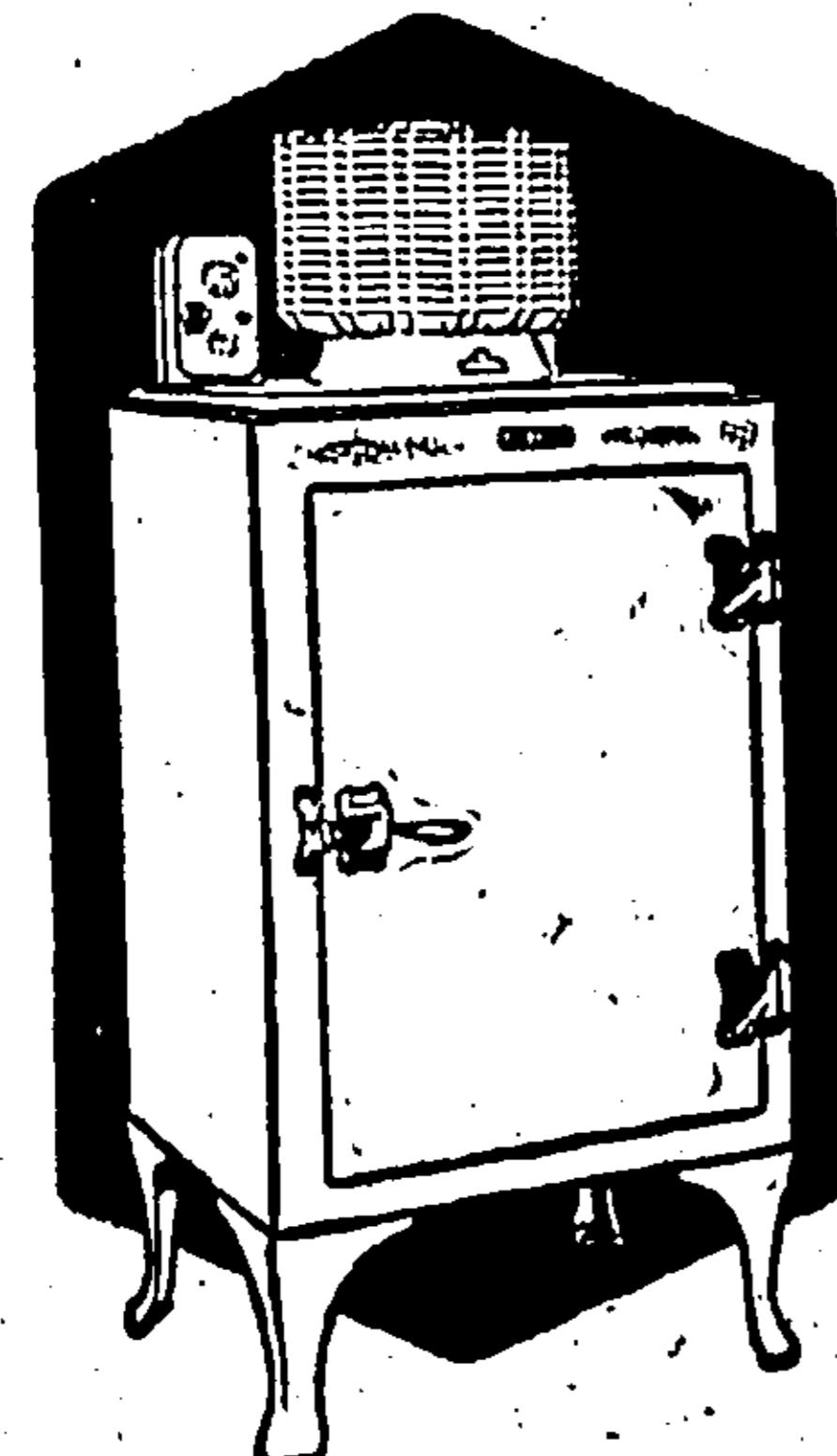
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END OF BASEBALL SEASON.

SOUTH CHINA WIN THE CHAMPIONSHIP.

It was fitting that when the championship shield of the Hongkong Baseball League changed hands with the defeat of the Japanese by South China on Saturday, it did so only after one of the bitterest struggles and hard fought games that the series has seen this season. South China won 4 to 3. The game went to nine innings, the hero of which was

Henry Young, who in the seventh knocked Miki for a home run and brought in Milton Goo to put up the tying run. With two down in the ninth he again romped in and put South China in front.

The crowd was the biggest this season and included Hon. Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Crensy, Sir Shou-nan Chow and the Japanese Consul and his wife. At the conclusion of the game, Mrs. Crensy handed over the shield to South China, and both she and Mr. Crensy congratulated the club and spoke highly of the organisation of the baseball in Hongkong. Mr. C. S. Shink, secretary of the League, also spoke.

FOREST HILLS TENNIS.

VINES WINS AMERICAN CHAMPIONSHIP.

New York, Sept. 12. After sensationally beating F. J. Perry in the semi-final Ellsworth Vines won the American Tennis Championship at Forest Hills by defeating G. Lott in the final by 7-5, 6-3, 9-7, 7-5, an indication of a hard tussle.

GOLF as the STARS Play It



In what position should the hands be in the address and at the impact in mid-iron play?

Bobby Cruickshank believes that when addressing the ball for a mid-iron shot, the hands should be in line or a shade in front of the ball, and this should be the position at the impact.

The toe of the right foot should be somewhat in front of the left. Grip the club the same as for the drive, holding it with a firm, steady pressure. One should avoid jerking, as smoothness and rhythm of the swing is just as essential in a mid-iron shot as in others. Make both the up and down swings with the arms a bit straighter and closer to the body than for the drive.

After the clubhead has struck the ball, follow through as though the clubhead were sliding away from the ball.—ART KRENZ.

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HOME FOOTBALL

RESULTS OF THE SATURDAY'S MATCHES.

Saturday's Home football matches, as cabled by Reuters, resulted as follows:

First Division.

| | | | |
|---------------|---|---------------|---|
| Arsenal | 2 | Sunderland | 0 |
| Aston Villa | 7 | Grimsby | 0 |
| Blackburn | 3 | Derby | 2 |
| Blackpool | 1 | Birmingham | 1 |
| Bolton | 4 | Portsmouth | 0 |
| Everton | 9 | Manchester C. | 1 |
| Huddersfield | 3 | West Ham | 1 |
| Leicester | 2 | Liverpool | 1 |
| Middlesbrough | 4 | Wednesday | 0 |
| Newcastle | 4 | Chelsea | 1 |
| Sheffield U. | 1 | West Brom. | 0 |

Second Division.

| | | | |
|---------------|---|--------------|---|
| Barnsley | 2 | Swansea | 3 |
| Bradford | 4 | Walsall | 1 |
| Bristol C. | 1 | Millwall | 4 |
| Charlton | 0 | Burnley | 1 |
| Manchester U. | 1 | Tottenham | 1 |
| Notts. County | 1 | Leeds | 1 |
| Oldham | 3 | Port Vale | 0 |
| Stoke | 2 | Bradford C. | 3 |
| Plymouth | 2 | Bury | 1 |
| Southampton | 4 | Preston N.E. | 1 |
| Watford | 6 | Chesterfield | 0 |

Third Division (South).

| | | | |
|--------------|---|--------------|---|
| Bournemouth | 5 | Exeter | 2 |
| Brentford | 4 | Coventry | 2 |
| Brighton | 1 | Clapton | 1 |
| Crystal Pal. | 1 | Queen's P.R. | 1 |
| Fulham | 3 | Luton | 2 |
| Mansfield | 2 | Torquay | 2 |
| Norwich | 4 | Swindon | 2 |
| Reading | 3 | Northampton | 2 |
| Southend | 1 | Colchester | 1 |
| Thames | 3 | Gillingham | 0 |
| Watford | 5 | Bristol R. | 2 |

Third Division (North).

| | | | |
|-------------|---|--------------|---|
| Barrow | 4 | New Brighton | 1 |
| Chester | 3 | Hull | 1 |
| Crewe | 4 | Wigan | 0 |
| Darlington | 2 | Wrexham | 3 |
| Hartlepools | 3 | Darlington | 3 |
| Hull | 0 | Gateshead | 1 |
| Lincoln | 3 | Walsall | 0 |
| Rochdale | 4 | Carlisle | 3 |
| Southport | 4 | Accrington | 2 |
| Tranmere | 6 | Rotherham | 1 |
| York | 1 | Stockport | 0 |

Scottish League (First Division).

| | | | |
|--------------|---|--------------|---|
| Airdrie. | 2 | Hamilton | 0 |
| Ayr | 1 | Kilmarnock | 1 |
| Celtic | 2 | Queen's Park | 2 |
| Cowdenbeath | 3 | Leith | 0 |
| Dundee | 1 | Dundee U. | 1 |
| Hearts | 0 | Aberdeen | 0 |
| Motherwell | 4 | Falkirk | 1 |
| Partick | 1 | Rangers | 3 |
| St. Mirren | 2 | Morton | 0 |
| Third Lanark | 4 | Clyde | 2 |

Scottish League (Second Division).

| | | | |
|---------------|---|---------------|---|
| Wednesday. | 1 | East Stirling | 4 |
| Saturday. | | | |
| Allon | 4 | Albion | 2 |
| Armadale | 1 | Hibernians | 1 |
| Edinburgh | 0 | East Fife | 7 |
| East Stirling | 3 | Dumbarton | 0 |
| Forfar | 4 | King's Park | 2 |
| Montrose | 2 | Queen O'St. | 2 |
| Raih Rovers | 3 | Boness | 1 |
| St. Bernards | 3 | Arbroath | 1 |
| St. Johnstone | 3 | Brechin | 1 |
| Sten'muir | 5 | Dunfermline | 1 |

TENNIS LEAGUE.

UNIVERSITY WIN THEIR REMAINING FIXTURE.

The University Tennis Club played off their remaining fixture with the Army Tennis Club in the "C" division at Seokkuipo on Saturday afternoon, winning by seven sets to two.

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Marie Rosenblom's light heavyweight crown wasn't budged in his fifteen-round engagement with Jimmy Slattery, the challenger, at Ebbsfleet Field, Brooklyn. Here the champion is shown ducking under a left hook by Slattery (at left) in the fourth round of their slow match. Rosenblom won twelve of the rounds.

LOCAL CRICKET BEGINS

TWO FRIENDLY GAMES PLAYED.

Two friendly matches on Saturday signalled the opening of the cricket season. The University Juniors played a drawn game with the Indians, while the Captain's XI at the Police Recreation Club.

At Pokfulam, the undergraduates,

by some consistent batting, ran up a

total of 141, A. Baker being top-

scorer with 23 to his credit.

H. Nomambay contributed 22 and E.

Gosano 21. M. R. Abbas was the most

successful bowler for the Indians,

capturing six wickets for 23 runs.

The Indians replied with 100 runs

CINEMA SCREENINGS.

NOTES SUPPLIED BY THE THEATRES.

Donald Calthrop, who plays the role of the valiant in British International's talkie version of "Almost a Honey-moon," the Queen's next change and the comedy success from the Garrick Theatre, which was adopted from the play by Walter Ellis; like many other stage and screen celebrities, was educated at St. Paul's School, London. He was born on April 11th, 1888, and made his first appearance on the stage at the Comedy Theatre in 1906 in "A Wire Entanglement."

At the Kingway Theatre in June 1924, he produced "Yolks," a very charming revue. When this terminated its run, Donald Calthrop disappeared into obscurity for some time. Then one day his admirers awoke to find him in a star. He made his big screen "hit" in Alfred Hitchcock's "Blackmail," and then followed "The Clue of the New Pin" and "The Flying Squad." Another film in which he appeared for British International was Atlantic."

He has an engaging personality, erratic and highly temperamental, with great personal charm innatation.

"Mr. Lemon of Orange."

El Brendel, famous Swedish comedian, achieves the ambition of a lifetime in "Mr. Lemon of Orange," the Fox comedy which takes possession of the King's Theatre screen today, and in which he is co-starred with Fif Dornay.

All comedians sigh for the forbidden fruit of tragedy. El is no exception. Always he has privately and publicly yearned to play a straight part. Now his suppressed desire has been liberated. He accomplishes his long sought object in this production in which he plays a double role.

"Straight part," while not exactly Hamlet, is far from his usual assignments. It is that of "Sam McGee," gangster chieftain, who chews cigs, swallows the juice, and rules the realm of bootleg-house.

Brendel is very much impressed with this role, so much so that in a recent interview he actually turned serious and discussed the gangster problem from a rather sound point of view, all things considered.

"Most gangsters I ever saw or heard of were sick men," he said. "Mostly they are the products of slums where they were reared in filth and dirt. With one or two exceptions, you never hear of a man in good health turning to crime as a livelihood. The weakling makes the gunman."

But this unnatural solemnity could not last. Next he was grinning: "I rehearsed this gangster role at home and practised talking tough and making faces at a mirror. I got so scared of myself a couple of times that I looked under all the beds before I could get to sleep."

Brendel's other role in the picture is the purely comic one of a toy salesman, whose resemblance to McGee creates amusing complications for him.

Eddie Cantor with Edwin Burke wrote the dialogue for "Mr. Lemon Of Orange." Director John Blastone put the strong cast, including William Collier, Sr., Ruth Warren, Donald Dillaway and Joan Castle, through their paces.

"Up the River."

When Maurine Watkins created the part of "Dinnemora Dan" in her original story for "Up the River," Fox Movietone picture, she never dreamed that the player who was to play the role would be as well qualified for it. Besides being a burglar of exceptional skill, "Dan" is supposed to be a first-class catcher on the penitentiary baseball team.

Warren Hymer, who portrays the character "Dan," received his baseball education at Yale University, in fact star back-stop of the varsity and one of the best mark and mit artists old Eli ever turned out. In the more hazardous art of burglary he served his apprenticeship in the Fox Movietone drama "Born Reckless," in which he played the lead rôle.

"Aloha."

Among the most charming of Hollywood's hostesses is Marian Douglas, who, in private life, is Mrs. Albert S. Rogell, wife of the director of the Tiffany special picture "Aloha," which is coming to the Central Theatre shortly. The Rogells live in a beautiful and delightful home in a part of Hollywood that always proves difficult for strangers to find. In fact, you have to negotiate the trip several times before you can get the hang of the course. To aid their guests, the Rogells have erected on their house a pole on which are three lights, red, green and blue, to act as a guide. So with one eye on three lights ahead and another on traffic lights, the visitor is bound to find the place sooner or later—and the welcome he gets always makes the adventure worthwhile.

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"Resurrection."

"Resurrection," Universal's picturization of Tolstoy's immortal story of love and sacrifice with John Boles and Lupe Velez in the principal roles, now showing at the Central Theatre, has had an appreciative capacity audience at every show during the first three days of its run. This is one of the most realistic pictures ever brought to the screen and congratulations are in order to all concerned in its making.

John Boles in the rôle of Prince Dmitri has never appeared to finer advantage than in his dramatic characterizations of the handsome youth whose love for Katusha Maslova was at first sweet and innocent, later changing to heated passion. Boles makes his changes from early youth to sophistication in a masterful manner. This is by far the finest performance in his entire screen career. A new Lupe Velez is hailed on the film horizon in "Resurrection" and the



This picture shows fire fighters working desperately to check the flames sweeping through Manchuria's rich forests. With the trees and undergrowth heavily dusted in dry, the fire hazard is now beyond that of the holocaust year of 1928.

A BRUTAL MURDER.

CHINESE WOMAN SAVAGELY HACKED TO DEATH.

A lonely spot near the summit of Sung Wong Toi Hill was the scene late on Saturday afternoon or early Saturday evening of a particularly brutal murder.

Airraffman Collins, whilst walking about a winding cement path to the summit of the Sung Wong Toi Hill, discovered the hacked body of a Chinese woman of the middle class, aged between 30 and 40.

One look sufficed to convince him that life was extinct and he immediately reported his discovery to the Kowloon City Police Station.

Police and C. I. D. officers who rushed to the scene on the receipt of the report found the body lying on its left side on the grass, with terrible gashes on the face and the upper part of the body.

The wounds had apparently been inflicted with a chopper, which was found smeared with blood about 15 yards from the mutilated body.

This chopper was carefully examined by the Police, but it is understood that no finger-prints were found, nor were there any other clues upon which the Police could work.

It would seem that robbery was not the motive, for a quantity of jewellery worn by the dead woman, including a jade bangle and a pair of earrings set with pearls, was found untouched.

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SHARE PRICES.

TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS.

The following is the list of local share quotations issued to-day:

Banks.

Hongkong Bank, \$2,040 b.

Chartered Bank, \$113 1/2 n.

Mercantile A. and B., \$18 1/2 n.

East Asia, \$134 n.

Insurances.

Canton Ins., \$1,530 n.

Union Ins., 567 1/2 n.

China Underwriters, \$6,16 n.

China Fire, \$800 n.

H.K. Fire Ins., \$1,480 b.

Shipping.

Douglas, \$24 n.

H. K. Steamboats, \$28 1/2 n.

Indo-Chinas, (Def.) \$30 n.

Union Waterboats, \$28 1/2 b.

Mining.

Boncuet, \$1,225 b.

Kailan, 27 1/2 n.

Shui Explorations, Tls. 1,65 n.

Rauts, \$41 b.

Docks, etc.

China Light, \$29 1/2 b.

H.K. Electric, \$84 n.

Macao Electric, \$23 n.

Telephones, \$46 n.

China Buses, Tls. 17,60 n.

Singapore Tractions, 3/9 n.

Industrials.

China Sugars 50 cts. b.

Malabons \$39 n.

Canton Ire., \$8,10 n.

Cement (com.) \$20,10 b.

Ropes, \$22,75 s.

Stores, etc.

Dairy Farms, \$33 1/2 n.

Watson, \$17,10 b.

Der A. Wings, \$1 n.

Lane Crawfords, \$8,20 n.

Mackintosh, \$19 n.

Sincur, \$193 n.

Powell, \$36 n.

Miscellaneous.

Amusements, \$26 1/2 b.

Entertainments, \$15 n.

Constructions, \$14 1/2 n. C. Rts.

B'que In. G. Bonds, 72 1/2 b.

Public Utilities.

Tramways, \$22,60 b.

Entertainment, \$14 75 n.

Star Ferries, \$95 1/2 b.

WATER LEVELS.

DETAILS FOR WEST, NORTH AND EAST RIVERS.

The following table, issued by the Kwangtung River Conservancy Commission, shows in English feet the water levels on the West River, North River and East River on the dates named:

Sept. Sept. Sept.

12 12 12

West River at Shiuhsing 9.9 9.9 9.9

North River at Samshui 11.4 13.1 13.1

North River at Tsingyuen 8.0 10.0 10.0

The highest levels recorded are:

Shiuhsing, 41 feet; Tsingyuen, 20.2

feet; Samshui, 27.3 feet; Shuklung,

11.6 feet.

The lowest levels on record are:

Shiuhsing 5 feet at Samshui and minus 2.7 feet at Shuklung.

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Telephones, \$46 n.

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Singapore Tractions, 3/9 n.

Cottons.

Ewe Cottons, Tls. \$16,30 b.

Shui Cottons, Tls. 104 n.

Zoon Singe Tls. 12 b.

Landa, Hotels, etc.

H.K. & S. Hotels (old) \$16,90 b.

H.K. Land, \$91 b.

Shui Land Tls. 42 n.</

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PORTUGUESE COUPLE MARRIED.**PRETTY WEDDING AT THE ROSARY CHURCH.**

A wedding of great interest to the Portuguese community was solemnised at the Rosary Church on Saturday afternoon when Miss Maria Luiza Gutierrez, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Gutierrez became the bride of Mr. Germano Augusto de Pinna, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. S. de Pinna.

The Rev. Father Spada officiated while Mr. Dick d'Almada (organist) and Messrs. F. Abraham and R. Gutierrez (violinists) rendered appropriate music.

The bride, who was given away by her father, was attired in a gown of white satin and lace made by Madame Leite and carried a sheaf of roses. She was attended by the Misas Solis and Myra Gutierrez, Leonor Xavier and Christina Jorge as bridesmaids, their dresses being of georgette of different shades. They carried sheaves of gladiolas. Little Miss Therese Gutierrez, in Cupid's attire, was flower girl.

The bride's mother attended in a dress of cyclamen crepe de chine made by Madame Leite.

Messrs. G. M. Gutierrez and F. Sequeira discharged the duties of best men.

Subsequent to the ceremony a reception was held at the Club do Recreio with the Syncopators Dance Orchestra in attendance.

FOOD EXPORT TAX.**CANTON DETERMINED ON ITS ENFORCEMENT.**

The petition addressed to the Canton Provincial Government through the Ministry of Finance by the fruit, vegetable and fish guilds applying for the withdrawal of the tax imposed on fruits, vegetables and fish exported from Canton has met with the disapproval of the Government, says the *Canton Sun*.

The Government is understood to be firm with its determination maintaining that such tax, as is levied in other provinces, is legitimate.

After having been postponed several times, another five days are extended by the Department of Finance to the time limit under which shops are required to report to the offices for collecting business tax for the Government their amount of capital.

In a general notification issued on Friday the department intimated that shops found to be disobeying the order of the Government after September 15, will be fined.

AMERICAN FLOTILLA.**NEW COMMANDER OF SOUTH CHINA PATROL.**

At 8 o'clock on Saturday morning, Captain Charles W. Early, U. S. Navy, hoisted his flag on board the U. S. S. Mindanao, as Commander of the South China Patrol.

Since the demise of Captain A. K. Shoup, the duties of Commander of the South China Patrol have been performed by Commander James G. Stevens, U. S. Navy, who is also the commanding officer of the Mindanao.

Captain Early arrived on Friday evening on the s.s. President Taft. He has recently completed a course of instruction at the Naval War College at Newport, R. I. His last tour of duty on the Asiatic Station was twenty years ago.

Hongkong Electric v. Recreio.

The Hongkong Electric, playing at home, lost to the Club de Recreio by 19 shots (68-49). Scores:

R. C. Butler, W. Stoker, G. E. Gahagan and W. H. B. Munkett (Hongkong Electric) lost to Dr. R. A. Castro Busto, C. H. Busto, J. J. Busto and A. H. Busto 22-10.

The winners will now meet the Kowloon Dock R.C. in the semi-final.

LAWN BOWLS MATCHES.**CRAIGENGOWER LOSE TO CIVIL SERVICE.**

In the final match of the First Division of the Lawn Bowls League, the Craigengower C.C. lost to the Civil Service by 63 shots to 52, thus giving the second place in the table to the Taihoo R.C. who finished two points behind Kowloon C.C. the champions.

Two Second Division matches were played, Club de Recreio and the Craigengower C.C. emerging winners. In the Spey Royal Cup match between the Kowloon C.C. and the Pollock, the League champions won 20 points to 10. The annual game between the Kowloon Dock R.C. and the Taihoo R.C. for the Dorrance Cup was played on the Peninsula and won by the hosts by 34 shots.

FIRST DIVISION.

Craigengower Third in the League Championship.

Nomination and S. Deacon (Hongkong Electric) lost to J. M. Rosario, H. Roberts, E. M. Remedios and J. G. Ozorio 17-19.

J. Sloan, G. Thomson, D. S. Hill and J. F. Lunny (Hongkong Electric) lost to F. A. Xavier, J. M. Alves, P. Vynovich and F. V. Ribeiro 11-21.

DORRANCE CUP MATCH.

Kowloon Dock Win From the Taihoo Dock Players.

FANLING CADDIES.**NO SIGNS OF ACCEPTING REGISTRATION.**

The "strike" of caddies at Fanling as a protest against the registration system continues, and over the weekend there was an absence of the regular carriers to serve the members of the Royal Hongkong Golf Club who went out to play.

It was reported on Saturday by the Secretary of the Club (Col. E. P. Matthews) that a certain number of the caddies who had been "on strike" had registered, but when players went out yesterday they found that those who had accepted the new scheme had been frightened off, with the result that none of the regular boys were to be had.

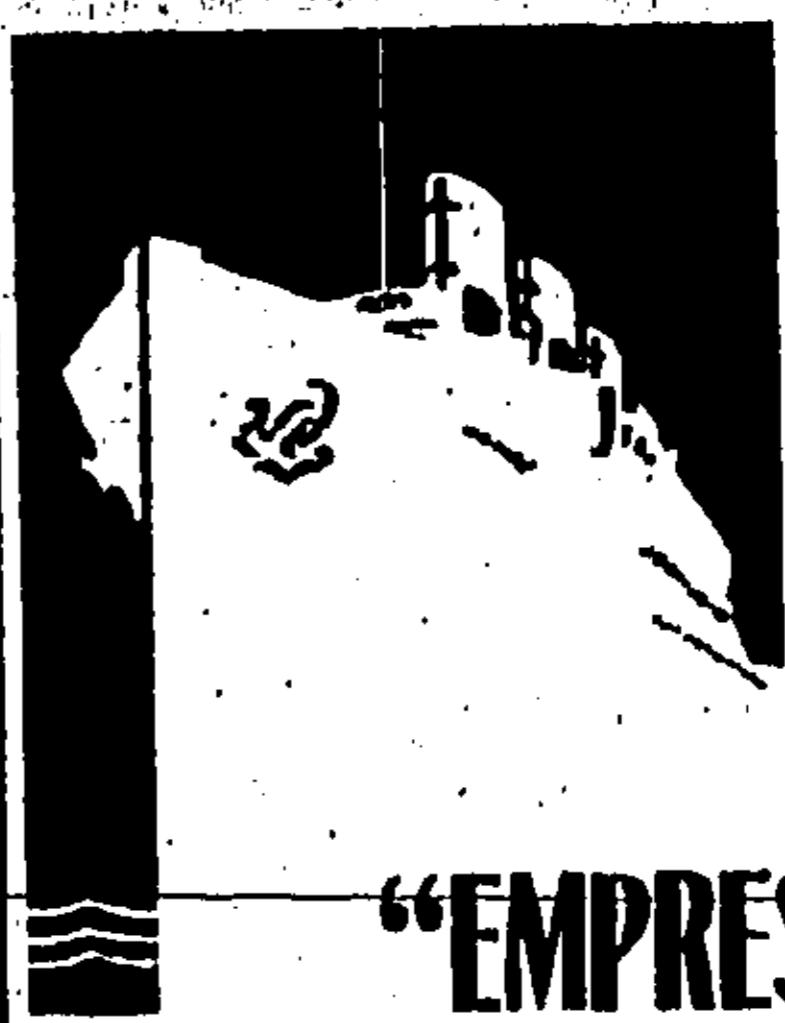
However, caddies ordered from Happy Valley were sent out, about thirty in number doing duty at Fanling.

Nomination and S. Deacon (Hongkong Electric) lost to J. M. Rosario, H. Roberts, E. M. Remedios and J. G. Ozorio 17-19.

J. Sloan, G. Thomson, D. S. Hill and J. F. Lunny (Hongkong Electric) lost to F. A. Xavier, J. M. Alves, P. Vynovich and F. V. Ribeiro 11-21.

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SINCERE COMPANY SUMMONED.**FREE DAY PURCHASE STATED TO BE A LOTTERY.**

As intimated during last week the recent offer of a free day purchase by the Sincere Company has resulted in the management being summoned by the Police under the Gaming Ordinance.

During the daily cases before Mr. Williams at the Central Police Court on Saturday morning, a summons was mentioned against the Manager of the Sincere Company. It was alleged that he caused to be printed or published an announcement relating to a lottery, contrary to Section 6 (2) of the Gaming Ordinance.

Mr. Hin-shing Lo (Instructed by Mr. J. M. Hall) appeared for the manager of the Sincere Company.

His Worship remarked that a date for the hearing of the summons had been fixed for the afternoon of Thursday, September 17.

Mr. Lo: I am instructed to say that although the case looks simple it involves a question of principle.

The summons was accordingly adjourned until Thursday.

BRUTAL ATTACK ON P.W.D. OVERSEER.**STRUCK ACROSS HEAD WITH HEAVY STICK.**

A brutal attack, with a heavy stick, on Mr. A. Thomson, engineer in charge of the Tytan Tuk Reservoir was described before Mr. Schofield at the Central Police Court on Saturday morning when a Chinese was charged with assault.

Sergeant Bradwell informed his Worship that on Friday afternoon, a summons was mentioned against the Manager of the Sincere Company. It was alleged that he caused to be printed or published an announcement relating to a lottery, contrary to Section 6 (2) of the Gaming Ordinance.

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INDIAN AFFAIRS.**MAHATMA GANDHI LANDS AT FOLKESTONE.**

Folkestone, Sept. 12.

Mahatma Gandhi arrived here at 2 p.m. to-day. Though it was raining heavily, the vicinity of the harbour was thronged with spectators. The crush was so great that police precautions were necessary, and entrance to the station was allowed only on production of a special permit.—Reuter.

The Conference.

London, Sept. 12.

Seven more of the Indian delegates to the Round Table Conference are expected to arrive in London to-day, including the representative of the Indian National Congress, Mahatma Gandhi. Others arriving include Pandit Malavira, Mrs. Naidu (the Indian poetess), the Nawab of Bhopal (Chancellor of the Chamber of Provinces), the Rajah of Korea, Sir Prabandhar Pataudi and Maulana Shaukat Ali (brother of Maulana Muhammad Ali whose death occurred in London during the previous session of the Round Table Conference). In addition to these delegates, nearly thirty others are already in London.

The possibility of chartering vessels for this purpose is being considered.—Reuter.

Funds Received.

Shanghai, Sept. 13.

Referring to the arrival of Mahatma Gandhi the *Times* says, "The inclusion, for the first time, of a Congress leader robe critics of the Round Table Conference of their chief complaint that the strongest section of Indian politicians had stood aloof. The discussions will be incomparably more representative than heretofore, and Gandhi's presence in England, if he will use it to the best advantage of his country, should greatly facilitate a mutual understanding of Indian aspirations and British responsibility."

The *Times* emphasises, however, that "Gandhi is in no sense a plenipotentiary from India. He has failed to bring with him any solution of the profound communal controversy, which is one of the most obstinate barriers to the Indian settlement. He comes, in fact, as a representative, not of India as a whole, but of a powerful and widely extended political organisation, not easily controlled by any leader, but for the moment, owing deep allegiance to himself. And, he comes to take his share in the practical discussion which has already made considerable progress, and not to reopen the problem afresh.—British Wireless.

Vienna, Sept. 13.

A far-reaching revolt has broken out in the northern provinces of Austria, under the leadership of Doctor Pfeiffer, who is head of the Austrian Fascist movement.

The seriousness of the revolt is not yet fully known, but the authorities admit that parts of the provinces in Northern Styria, Upper Austria and Salzburg are ablaze.

Pfeiffer called out his forces last night, and they seized many public buildings, driving out the local authorities. The Fascists also occupied the roads and blockaded many towns and villages, issuing a proclamation informing the population that the Fascists had assumed power.

Among the places taken over by the Fascists is Kirchdorf, in Upper Austria, where the public buildings were occupied, residents being ejected. Forces of gendarmerie and troops arrived at Kirchdorf from Linz, and it is reported that after a brief conflict the Fascists were overcome, two of their leaders being arrested.

The authorities state that they are confident that within a short time the rebellion will be suppressed.—Reuter.

Twenty-Five Dead.

Budapest, later.

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CHANGSHA TENSION CONTINUES.

HASTY DEFENSIVE MEASURES.

INVADERS FEARED.

Shanghai, Sept. 14.
Martial law was proclaimed at Changsha on Saturday evening and General Ho Chien's soldiers continued their construction of trenches between Hengchow and Taiping during the week-end.

General Ku Chu-tung (Officer Commanding the Second Nationalist Division) is directing the military administration at Hengchow, where he is constructing an aerodrome. He will visit Chingling tomorrow where the defensive measures will be further reinforced as a fear is entertained by the Nationalist Commanders of a flank invasion by the advancing Cantonese Regiments.

Apart from the troop movements and the adoption of defence measures there is no indication that the opposing armies will clash at the moment, and meanwhile quiet prevails in Hunan. Official circles predict that Marshal Chiang Kai-shek will appoint the War Minister, General Ho Ying-ching, as Commander-in-Chief in Hunan once war is started.

Eighty machine-guns and over 1,000 cases of ammunition were despatched by the Arsenal authorities from here to Nanking yesterday and these are being sent immediately to the Hunan Military Command.

Marshal Chiang Kai-shek has postponed his trip to Hankow and Changsha and will wait for the return of Messrs. Chang Chi, Li Shih-tseng and Wu Tsch-chen (members of the National Government Council) from Peking for a political conference before leaving for the front.—*Renher*.

CHOLERA IN BASRA.

VERY HEAVY DEATH ROLL SHOWN IN REPORTS.

Basra, Sept. 12.
The death roll in the cholera epidemic in Iraq is now 415 out of 737 cases.

The British Hospital is saying two out of every three of its cases. Four-fifths of the deaths are among those refusing treatment.—*Renher*.

WEATHER REPORT.

The Royal Observatory reports that the anticyclone now covers Japan. A trough of low pressure extends from Indo-China to Guam.

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IMPROPER USE OF SAMPAN.

BOATWOMAN FINED AND WARNED.

A fine of \$50 was imposed on a boat-mistress by Comdr. Newill, the Deputy Harbour Master, at the Marine Court this morning, for having used her boat for the conveyance of women for the purposes of prostitution within the harbour limits yesterday morning.

The accused pleaded not guilty to the charge, saying that she was hauled by a jardine boat to carry passengers, and went alongside when three women got into her boat and asked to be taken ashore.

Sergeant Roberts said that at 4.30 a.m. yesterday he saw the defendant's boat heading in a north-western direction towards the s.s. Taiping, which was lying at buoy A4. A seaman on board hauled the defendant's boat, which went alongside.

Witness then got alongside the boat. In it were three women. He arrested defendant and took her to the police station. Two of the girls were in the apartment in which the defendant was sleeping, and the third was underneath the boarding. One of them was unclad.

The Magistrate, besides imposing a fine, warned the defendant that if she came up again her licence would be cancelled. She had a previous conviction for the same offence, and had received a warning.

A FRIENDLY VISIT.

M. Laval and M. Briand FOR GERMANY.

Paris, Sept. 12.

M. Laval and M. Briand have accepted an official invitation to visit Berlin on September 27, which the Charge d'Affaires at the German Embassy conveyed to M. Laval this morning.—*Renher*.

BRITAIN SMASHES ALL AIR SPEED RECORDS.

(Continued from Page 1.)

The winning plane was actually flown right through the contest with the engine throttled below full power because the cooling surfaces were not sufficient. Upper and lower surfaces of the wings and the entire upper surface of each float are water radiators; along the greater part of the length of the fuselage, below and on both sides run the oil coolers.

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